

Strong Memories of Normandy

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It's a long way from Sedalia to Omaha Beach on the Normandy coastline, but at least two Sedalians made that trip 25 years ago and returned with some memories they will never forget.

At the Normandy end of the trip the men witnessed and took part in the greatest seaborne invasion in history — the Allied invasion of Nazi-controlled Europe on D-Day, June 6, 1944.

In recalling the events of the day, memories become a little vague as to names of ships, units, plane markings, etc., but Ralph Baker, 423 East Seventh, and Edgar Urton, VFW commander here, recall the main events that occurred during the seven fateful hours during which the future course of the world was being determined.

Baker, then a Navy pharmacist's mate first class, was serving aboard Landing Ship Tank (LST) No. 53, one of the first ships to hit Omaha Beach in the first wave of landings. There he stayed for three days, because the intense storm that broke at that time prevented any of the ships from withdrawing.

Urton, a boatswain's mate third class, was assigned aboard the destroyer USS Kendrick (DD-612). His ship was on station in the English Channel on June 5, and began shelling the beaches about dawn, June 6, when the Allied ground troops began attacking the shoreline.

Baker's trip began in Pittsburgh, Pa., when he boarded LST 53. The ship went down the Ohio to the Mississippi to New Orleans, where it loaded an LSI (Landing Ship, Infantry) on the tank deck. Then the ship proceeded to Boston, stayed there a week or two then made a rendezvous with a convoy headed for Plymouth, England.

The ship maneuvered around the Plymouth area for a few days then one day the captain called the men for briefing. "There's a man over there who is mad at us. We are going to have to take care of him. I have orders to take this ship to the beaches of France," he stated. He did not inform the men at this time where the landing would take place.

An infantry unit, complete with equipment, was taken aboard and the ship got underway, along with hundreds of other invasion craft. The big show was originally scheduled for June 5, but a storm brought on a one-day delay.

The full account of the ensuing events is history.

Baker said the men aboard his ship were outwardly calm,

but many got terribly seasick. "We had all been trained to meet almost any situation and knew what to expect," he said.

After a short break in the weather caused General Dwight D. Eisenhower to give the "go" sign for the landing June 6, Baker's ship landed, despite four-foot waves still pounding the beach. The site was near the bluffs on the left, or south side, of Omaha Beach.

In the landing Baker saw dozens of ships sink and saw the infantry unit from his ship get "pretty well shot up" on the beaches. "At that time the battle was at its height and it was difficult to tell just what was going on. We saw hundreds of bodies floating around near the beach, but most of the men got ashore and started the assault on the German defenses," Baker recalled.

"In the beginning of the battle two German JU-88 planes started bombing and strafing our ship. One bomb landed about a half-block away. The plane made the mistake of making a turn to resume strafing and our ship knocked it into the sea," Baker said. His captain "chewed out" the crew for not getting the second plane. Later the ship was credited with knocking down the first German plane of the invasion.

During the three days on the beach, Baker's ship was almost "shaken apart" by the big guns

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Veterans Discuss D-Day

These three veterans of the invasion of Europe 25 years ago got together at the VFW Club here Wednesday night and discussed the historic events that occurred on D-Day. Left to right are

George E. Rodgers, 802 East Ninth; Edgar Urton, VFW commander, and Ralph Baker, whose LST crew shot down the first German plane of the invasion. (Democrat-Capital Photo)



Invasion Flag

This flag flew from the mast of LST 53 during the Normandy invasion 25 years ago. The ship's crew knocked down the first German plane of the invasion. The captain gave the flag to Ralph Baker, above, 423 East Seventh, a crewman, after the crew broke up in preparation for the return home. (Democrat-Capital Photo)

WEATHER

Fair to partly cloudy and warmer Friday; not much change in temperature tonight. Low tonight mid 60s. High Friday near 90. Probabilities precipitation tonight 20 per cent.

The temperature Thursday was 64 at 7 a.m. and 74 at noon. Low Wednesday night was 63.

Lake of the Ozarks stage: 56.8 feet; 3.2 feet below full reservoir; up 0.2.

Sunset Thursday will be at 8:34 p.m., sunrise Friday will be at 5:49 a.m.

Explosion Kills Four

CARNEYS POINT, N. J. (AP) — A series of chain-reaction blasts, their origin still a mystery, ignited more than 100 tons of gunpowder Wednesday, leveling three storage buildings at the DuPont Co.'s explosive plant and killing at least four men. Three others are missing and presumed dead.

"No true solution, no genuine solution to the Vietnam problem can be achieved by seeking to eliminate the government of the Republic of Vietnam," he said. "The consequences of that maneuver are only to prolong the war and delay the restoration of peace."

Jerusalem Scene of Fighting

JERUSALEM (AP) — Hand grenades exploded in Jerusalem and the refugee-packed Gaza Strip today as Arabs violently demonstrated their opposition to the Israeli occupation on this second anniversary of the start of the six-day war.

Four Israeli soldiers and four Arab civilians were wounded. Wednesday night, a bazooka shell killed the driver of an army command car in the Gaza Strip. The car crashed, killing two other soldiers and wounding two.

One grenade was thrown today at a group of soldiers outside a police station in the El Ma'azi refugee camp south of Gaza City. Three Israelis were wounded.

Tension was high in Gaza, and some shops were closed. A hand grenade was lobbed

over the Old City's walls near Herod's Gate. One Israeli soldier and three Arabs were wounded, a police official reported.

Steel-helmeted troops carrying machine guns were on the spot within seconds. They moved into the walled city and began a house-to-house search. Six Arabs were arrested as suspects.

Troops in light trucks and troop carriers patrolled the perimeters of Old Jerusalem while police set up checkpoints outside. They stopped Arabs entering the area to look for explosives or weapons.

Police later broke up a procession of 50 Arab school girls who tried to march and lay wreaths at a cemetery of Jordanian war dead. They arrested six of the girls.

A business strike also was reported in Nablus, but other West Bank cities were reported quiet. Arab guerrillas also opened bazooka and light arms fire on an Israeli army patrol on the Jordan River in the Beisan Valley, it was reported.

Israeli forces returned fire. There were no Israeli casualties or damage, the army said.

There was no official observance of the anniversary by the Israelis. That occurred last month in accordance with the Hebrew lunar calendar.

As the "shooting peace" drags on, the mood of the Israelis is one of weary resignation, backed by a stiffening resolve not to abandon their war-won spoils until the Arabs sit down and negotiate a permanent peace.

This is more evident in public

and private statements now than at any time since the war ended.

Such leaders as Defense Minister Moshe Dayan have warned of even tougher times ahead as the occupation of Arab lands from Syria's Golan Heights to the Suez Canal stretches on for many more months.

The Israelis are braced for it. The government already has raised taxes on such luxury goods as television sets and cars. Army duty has been extended from 30 months to three years.

Despite the big military machine, there is little visible evidence of its presence in the main cities or along the coastal plain. No tanks or armored cars rumble through Tel Aviv or Haifa or Jerusalem.

Attack on Aircraft Brings US Response

SAIGON (AP) — An unarmed U.S. reconnaissance plane was shot down over North Vietnam today and two escort fighter-bombers blasted the enemy anti-aircraft positions. The U.S. Command reported. It was the first such attack on the north in six months.

The two crewmen of the \$2-million Air Force RF4C steered their crippled plane out over the Gulf of Tonkin and bailed out. They were rescued by a helicopter three miles off the North Vietnamese city of Dong Hoi, about 45 miles north of the demilitarized zone dividing Vietnam. One of the fliers was injured and flown to the hospital ship Repose.

A U.S. spokesman said two U.S. fighter-bombers flying escort fired on the North Vietnamese anti-aircraft sites with "unknown results" in the first such attack on North Vietnam since Dec. 24. On that day two

escort fighter-bombers attacked a surface-to-air missile site that had fired on a Navy photo reconnaissance plane. None of the planes was hit.

The U.S. Command said it did not know the exact location over North Vietnam when the reconnaissance plane in today's incident was hit.

It was the fifth American plane shot down over North Vietnam since the United States stopped bombing the North last Nov. 1, and the first since Dec. 9. When it stopped the bombing, the United States announced it would continue reconnaissance flights over North Vietnam and they would be escorted by fighter-bombers.

It was the 920th American plane shot down over North Vietnam since Feb. 7, 1965, when the United States began full-scale bombing of the North. Military sources said North

Vietnam has built up a major supply depot around the coastal city of Dong Hoi since the United States halted the bombing and has ringed it with anti-aircraft guns.

The U.S. Command also announced that a small Army observation plane and two Army UH-1 helicopters were shot down Tuesday and Wednesday in various parts of South Vietnam. Thirteen Americans aboard the three aircraft were killed.

One helicopter was downed Tuesday night near the headquarters of the U.S. 1st Air Cavalry Division 40 miles north of Saigon. Seven Americans were killed.

The second helicopter was shot down Wednesday 35 miles southwest of Da Nang, killing five Americans. One crewman was killed when the observation plane was hit Tuesday night

four miles northwest of Pleiku, in the central highlands.

In Saigon, meanwhile, South Vietnamese police were put on a 100 per cent alert following the worst rash of terrorist explosions in nearly a month.

Six incidents of "enemy terrorist activity" were reported in the capital today, U.S. headquarters said.

Five were explosions that killed three Vietnamese civilians and wounded seven. In the sixth incident, a U.S. serviceman was wounded when a blasting cap exploded as he was disarming a two-pound mine planted in the central market.

The Viet Cong claimed today that it has established a "people's revolutionary committee" — a sort of local government — in Saigon. The Viet Cong Radio said the seven-member committee was set up following a series of meetings late last month.

75 Nations Help Launch Communists' Conference

MOSCOW (AP) — Soviet party chief Leonid I. Brezhnev opened the Kremlin-dominated International Communist Conference today with a charge that imperialists of the world are afraid of Communist unity.

The conference, boycotted by China and several other major parties, has been promoted by Moscow as a step toward Communist unity. Seventy-five of the world's Communist parties are attending.

Tass said the delegates were greeted warmly by Brezhnev at the opening session in St. George Hall of the Great Kremlin Palace. There has been no word on how long the conference will last.

Tass quoted Brezhnev as saying the unnamed imperialists "will do all they can to belittle the importance of the conference and to present its proceedings and results in a distorted light."

But he added that the mere fact that the conference has been convened "testifies to the realization by Communists of their great responsibility for the destiny of peace and social progress."

Despite the cheerful atmosphere and a relatively bland draft document calling for Communist unity against imperialism, there were indications from some delegates that an internal struggle might develop before the conference ends. It was expected to begin late today and last from one to three weeks.

A significant percentage of the world's Communists are not represented at the Kremlin-organized summit, including those from Red China, North Vietnam, North Korea, Yugoslavia, Albania, Japan and the Netherlands.

In a front-page editorial Pravda said: "All those who really

uphold the sacred revolutionary ideals, not just pay lip service to them, wish the conference every success in the attainment of the tasks facing it."

Many of the conference delegations apparently have accepted Moscow's effort to sidestep such controversial issues as the invasion of Czechoslovakia.

But some Western Communist sources indicated their delegations might attempt to win changes in the basic document to be submitted for approval, especially where it concerns "questions of sovereignty" and Soviet domination of other nations in the Communist bloc.

The dissidents who are led by the Italians, are reported to have failed in an effort last week to make some major changes in the statement at a preliminary hearing, and it is doubtful whether they will have enough support at the conference to win any concessions.

State Fair Catalogue Released

Despite the furor caused by reduced appropriations for the Missouri State Fair, there apparently is going to be one, at least according to the State Printing Office.

The 1969 fair catalogue, prepared under last year's budget, was received through the mails today. From its size — 336 pages compared to 320 last year — indications are that the fair will be even bigger and better than the 1968 one.

The fiscal squeeze on the State Fair, currently being resolved by a joint committee of the state Senate and House, was caused by a \$148,875 reduction imposed by the Senate on a House-passed bill appropriating \$892,528 for the fair.

Since then, lawmakers in Jefferson City have been besieged by fair officials, area citizens and representatives to get the funds restored. How soon a definite figure will be arrived at is uncertain, although Dexter Davis, state commissioner of agriculture, had said earlier that it may be as late as June 30 before the budget is finally established.

Sedalia Man's Son Is Killed During Battle

The son of a Sedalia man was reported killed in action in Vietnam May 25, while on a combat operation. He had previously been listed as missing in action.

Dead is Sp. 4 Ralph A. Vitch, 20, son of Anthony A. Vitch, 1011 Royal Blvd. Vitch was a member of the 101 Airborne Division.

He was born, March 4, 1949, in Tampa, Fla., son of Mrs. Betty R. Vitch, Tampa, and Anthony Vitch, Sedalia. Surviving besides his parents are two brothers, John Allen Vitch, Tampa; Carl Martin Vitch, Sacramento, Calif.; and a sister, Mrs. Helen Louise Murphy, Kingfisher, Okla.

Funeral services will be held Monday at the Marciano Funeral Home, Tampa. Burial arrangements are incomplete.

Seek Hold-up Suspects In Area Near Smithton

Two men identified as escapees from the Kansas State Industrial Reformatory system remained at large in the Sedalia area of 1 p.m. Thursday in one of the biggest manhunts in Central Missouri for some time.

The search began just after the robbery of Cunningham's Grocery store on old Highway 40 just south of Marshall Junction Wednesday afternoon. One man, William Monteer, is being held in Sedalia pending the filing of charges against him in Saline County.

The manhunt centered around the area south of Smithton until just after noon, then shifted to the Bahner-Mora area after officers received a report of two men walking

across a field, on the Leonard Sigan farm. Officials followed this lead but the two men were not found.

Dorothy Cunningham, operator of the store, told The Democrat-Capital that three young men, who had been at the store earlier Wednesday came into the store to purchase some food after telling her that they had been drinking and "wanted to sober up."

She said that as she rang up the sale and started to make change for a \$1 bill given to her by one of the men, he pointed a knife at her. She said that he told her, "This is it, this is a stickup. Give us your money."

As this was taking place Carl West, Marshall, who picks up a

Kansas City newspaper bundle there each day, came into the store and as he did the man with the knife gave it to one of the other men and then hit West.

The robbers made off with about \$25 and some sunglasses, according to Mrs. Cunningham. She said they cut the telephone line and threatened to kill her if she followed them out the door.

West sustained a cut mouth and had some teeth knocked loose, according to Joseph L. Cunningham, brother of Mrs. Cunningham. Mrs. Cunningham was scratched on the throat by the knife.

Joseph Cunningham was

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Blast Stopped Car

This Ford Falcon sedan, used by three men suspected in a robbery at Marshall Junction, stopped in a ditch after a Highway Patrol trooper blasted out a rear tire on the vehicle with a shotgun

late Wednesday. The rear window was also shattered by a shotgun blast. Three occupants of the car escaped without injuries. One of them was captured later near Smithton, however.

(Democrat-Capital Photo)



Ann Landers

Her Method Is Not Endorsed One

Dear Ann Landers: I have a suggestion for the woman who had such a terrible time getting her husband up in the morning. Here it is:

Before you turn in for the night, put a tall glass of water in the refrigerator. In the morning, when the lord and master is supposed to get up, call him once. Make sure he hears you say he has exactly three minutes to haul his frame out of bed. If he is not up in three minutes, get the glass of water and let him have it, right in the kisser.

Of course, you'll have an angry husband on your hands and a wet bed to change, but you'll never have to call him a second time from then on.

My husband didn't speak to me for a week after I did this to him, but now, 30 years later, it is one of the stories he likes to tell best. — Madison, Wisconsin.

Dear Mad: I'm printing your letter but it appears without my endorsement. Any wife who wants to try this stunt does so at her own risk. I accept no responsibility for shiners, skull damage or rearranged bridgework.

Dear Ann Landers: I'm a 16-year-old girl with an unusual problem. I am dating a boy who is 19. Rex has already had one year of college. I enjoy his company a lot, but I wonder if he enjoys mine. He does all the talking. Last night, for example, I don't think I said five sentences. It seems I was nodding and smiling the whole time. It was all I could do to get in a word such as, "Really?" and "Oh?" and "That's great!" I don't want Rex to think I'm stupid. Do you know of a book on the art of conversation? If

so, I'd like to buy it. — One Word Wendy.

Dear One: You don't need a book on the art of conversation. It sounds as if you have developed a far more important art—the art of listening. Congratulations. And don't worry about Rex thinking you are a dumbbell. Better to keep quiet and be thought of a fool than to open your mouth and remove all doubt.

Dear Ann Landers: I'm 32, 5 feet 11 inches, 185 pounds, a good bowler, like to dance, own a good little business, have money in the bank, and want to get married. I've been looking seriously for two years and have found nothing but barflies, tramps, gold diggers, lame brains and psychos.

Where are the decent women, Ann? You're the lady with the answers. Please tell me. — Willing and Able

Dear Will: The "decent women" are not riveted to barstools waiting to be picked up. And they aren't loafing around the beaches or dancing with other dummies at the discotheques. There are plenty of decent women in offices, working—in schools, learning—and in hospitals, nursing. They can also be found devoting their spare time to worthy causes, church projects and political action groups.

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But trucks and cars are pulling camp trailers behind the herd, the cowboys on horseback communicate by walkie-talkie radios and portable steel fences are used to keep the herd together at night.

The herd of yearling charolais cattle, a French breed, reached the Pueblo Pintado area Wednesday, about 70 miles and five days out of Bluewater, N.M. It still has about 90 miles to go to Pagosa Springs, Colo.

Should you? Shouldn't you? Send for Ann Landers' booklet "Dating Do's and Don'ts," enclosing with your request 35c in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope. Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper, enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope. (c) 1969, Publishers-Hall Syndicate

PTA Chairmen Are Appointed

The Mark Twain PTA executive committee recently held its first meeting at the home of Mrs. Fred Davis. Refreshments were served during the social hour.

Mrs. Davis named her chairmen for the year 1969-70. They are Mrs. Chester Kirkpatrick, health; Mrs. James Giokaris, legislative; Mrs. Jack Hawkins, Founders' Day; Mrs. Robert Wiekal, room representative; Mrs. A. E. Williams, devotional; Mrs. Wayne Hutcheson, magazine; the Rev. M. G. Albright, juvenile protection; Mrs. Bruce Dawson, membership; Mrs. Claude Lambirth, Book Fair and Jerry Parker, student aid.

The Rev. M. G. Albright, pastor of the United Church of Christ, led the group in prayer. The program was planned for

the year, with finances and money-making projects discussed.

About Town
Mrs. Elizabeth Creagen Platt, former Sedalian, has returned to her home in St. Joseph, after spending a few days with Mrs. Blanche Tyler, 822 West Fourth.

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KNOB NOSTER — Miss Joyce Everts, Miss Jill Strickland and Miss Cindy Beale, all juniors at Knob Noster High School, have been selected to attend the Freedom Forum to be held this month at the Military Academy, Mexico, Mo.

The Forum is held annually under the sponsorship of the Missouri Chamber of Commerce, Missouri Farm

Bureau and the Academy. While there the students receive four days of intensive training stressing the American heritage, re-emphasizing the basic principles upon which the country was founded, reviewing the structure of the American competitive enterprise system and outlining the dangers of Communism. The faculty each year includes well known lecturers,

authors and teachers. Miss Everts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Everts, is sponsored by the Knob Noster Business and Professional Women's Club. The Johnson County Farm Bureau is sponsoring Miss Jill Strickland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Strickland. Miss Beale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Beale, is being sponsored by the Knob Noster PTA.

Girl Scouts Plan a Camp This Month

Girl Scouts from Sedalia, LaMonte, Lincoln and Green Ridge are eligible to attend an 8-day session of day camp with the theme "South of the Border." Two hundred and fifteen girls are already enrolled for two four-day sessions, June 16-19 and June 23-26 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Forty staff members will help teach the girls skills in camping, crafts and archery. Mrs. Cynthia Callis will be in charge of crafts and Larry Pummil, athletics director at LaMonte High School, will be archery instructor.

Brownies, Juniors, and Cadettes are eligible to attend the camp. A fee is charged for each girl, and a campership fund has been established to help the needy.

Applications may still be sent to Mrs. John Bohon, business manager, Mrs. Wes Harding, Green Ridge, will be day camp director; Mary Ann Harding, LaMonte, assistant director, and Mrs. Esther Hall, Sedalia, and Mrs. Helen Comer, Lincoln, are on the day camp committee task force.

There will be another 8-day session Aug. 4-7 and Aug. 11-14.

Social Calendar

FRIDAY

Sedalia Garden Clubs will have a yard tour of members' gardens.

Pettis County Farm Bureau, Livestock Committee Executive Board, meets at 8 p.m. at the Farm Bureau office.

MONDAY

Past Presidents Club of the Social Order of Beauxvants meets at 6 p.m. with Mrs. John Staubli, 819 West Tenth, for the annual picnic. Bring basket and own service, drink and dessert furnished.

AAUW Study Group, meets at 10 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Robert Stockwood, 2600 South Quincy.

Northside Group Will Meet Friday

The Northside Citizens Association will hold its regular monthly business meeting at 8 p.m. Friday at Quinn Chapel A.M.E. Church, West Johnson and Missouri Ave.

All interested citizens are invited to attend.

Earns B. A. Degree

Joan Kay VonStrohe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert VonStrohe, 2513 Southwest Blvd., has been granted a B.A. degree from Concordia Teachers College, River Forest, Ill.

Miss VonStrohe will be a teaching fellow in music at the same school.

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WASHINGTON (AP) — The Interstate Commerce Commission has decided to hold hearings on the petition by the Santa Fe Railroad to discontinue the last passenger train service between Kansas City and Tulsa.

The decision will suspend for at least four months the elimination of the train, called the Tulsa.

The office of Sen. James B. Pearson, R-Kan., said the ICC will probably announce dates for the hearings along the route in a week or two.

Pearson issued a statement that "I feel that it is clearly in the public interest for this service to continue."

"The economies of each local community served by this passenger train are dependent in part on its continued operation."

Square Dance Patter

SATURDAY

Levis and Laces Foot and Fiddle Square Dance Club meets at 8:30 p.m. at Labor Hall, 1102 East Third. Don Donath caller. Pot luck. L. D. and Mary Hoehns, hosts.

Yellow Fire Truck

OAK PARK, Mich. (AP) — The newest fire truck in suburban Oak Park is yellow, not red.

The \$84,000 85-foot, bucket aerial fire truck was painted yellow for "greater safety and visibility." Fire Marshall Charles Tice said when he unveiled it Wednesday.

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New AFS Student Is Introduced at Meeting

The American Association of University Women met June 2 for a contributive dinner and final business of the 1968-69 year at the home of Mrs. John Zulauf. Mrs. Walter Stoll, first vice president, presided and welcomed guests.

Mrs. John Zulauf, president of the local chapter of the American Field Service which is sponsored by the Sedalia AAUW, introduced the Robert Cain family, especially Ruth Elizabeth Cain who will leave June 26 to spend the summer as an AFSer in Emden, Germany. Mrs. Zulauf also introduced the Tom Gray family. Mrs. Gray read a letter of thanks from Jean Louis Lavolle and expressed her own thanks to AAUW for making possible the presence of the French AFSer in the Gray home for the 1968-69 school year.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Bhattacharya from Calcutta, India, teachers at Southeastern State College, Durant, Okla.

Letters of resignation were read from retiring president Mrs. Paul Doring, who is moving to Tulsa, Okla., and from Mrs. William Lusk. Letters of thanks were read from Mrs. Virgil Ellis for a corsage given her on the occasion of her installation as AAUW state treasurer and from four members of the Warrensburg branch who were guests at the May meeting.

Mrs. Stoll made a final plea for contributions to the Coretta Scott King fund. Mrs. Ned Postels reported that she will be a participant on a panel on membership at the national convention June 15-19 in Chicago. The Sedalia branch will receive a special award for outstanding work during the past biennium.

Officers for the 1969-70 biennium installed by Mrs. Wilfred Lee are: president, Mrs. Ned Postels; first vice president, Mrs. Robert Stockwood; second vice president, Mrs. James Burkeholder; secretary, Mrs. David Williams; treasurer, Mrs. Bruce Whittier; assistant treasurer, Mrs. Mary Ella Hausam; AFS president, Mrs. James McNeil.

Mrs. Postels announced the chairmen of committees for the

coming year. They are: fellowship, Mrs. David Eisenstein; legislative, Mrs. Robert Edmonds; publicity, Miss Marian Keens; finance, Mrs. John Zulauf; newsletter, Mme. Duane Slagle and Carl Folkerts. Area representatives will be world problems, Mrs. Bryan Howe; community problems, Mrs. Jack Smith; education, Mrs. Cheney Plummer; cultural interests, Mrs. Russell Rhoads. Implementation chairmen will be Dr. Ruth Glazebrook and Mrs. James Labahn. Additional chairmen appointed were: membership, Mrs. Burkeholder; budget, Mrs. Whittier; hostess, Mrs. Tom Keating; telephone, Mrs. William Faulkner; yearbook, Mrs. William Bunn; scrapbook, Miss Hazel Barnett and Miss Nell Longan.

Mrs. Postels stated that the state convention theme was not only study but also action.

Explanations of the four new topics were given by Mrs. Burkeholder on "Human Use of Urban Space," Mrs. Ellis, "This Beleaguered Earth — Can Man Survive?," Mrs. Williams, "American Foreign Policy" and Mrs. Stockwood, "The Academic Community."

There will be an organizational meeting for a summer study group at 10 a.m. June 9 at the home of Mrs. Stockwood, 2600 South Quincy. Possibly an AAUW group will attend one or more of the regional theatres during the summer. The branch will support art week from June 19-26 sponsored by the Missouri Council on the Arts.

Hostesses were Mrs. Paul Lewis, Miss Nell Longan, Mrs. William Lusk, Mrs. John Marr, Mrs. Louise McKee, Miss Minnie Murphy, Miss Louella Swegles, Mrs. Cheney Plummer, Mrs. Duane Slagle.

Briefs

OTTERVILLE — Mrs. Robert Coffman, Richard and Suzanne, Wichita, Kan., were recent weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Straten.

CLARKSBURG — The Rev. and Mrs. Bob Pinkerton, Mason City, Ia., were recent guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Ron Gross.

OTTERVILLE — Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leaton were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wheeler and Miss Ann Harvey, Mulvane, Kan.

OTTERVILLE — Dr. and Mrs. J.W. Parker and grandson, Tommy Ballew, Emporia, Kan., recently visited with his cousins, Mrs. Grace Ripley and Miss Cora Cordry.

Gambling Revenue Drops in Nevada

CARSON CITY, Nev. (AP) — State revenue from gambling was down more than \$2 million for the first three months of this year.

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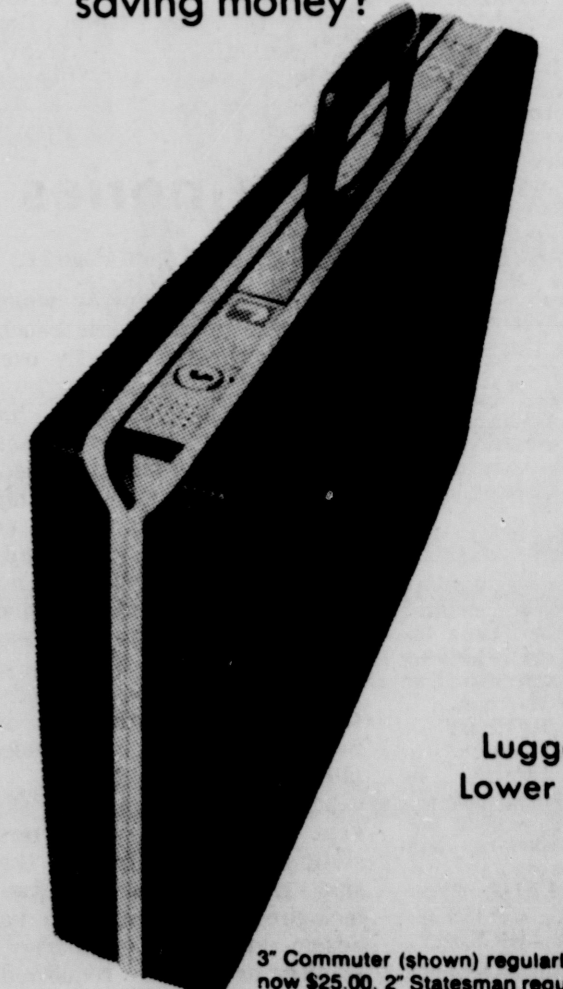
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OBITUARIES

Mrs. Hattie Louise Hogan

Mrs. Hattie Louise Hogan, 54, died at 3:10 p.m. Wednesday at the Sedalia Rest Home after a lingering illness.

She was the daughter of the late Thomas Bush and Ruth Morney.

Mrs. Hogan received her education at the Lincoln High School, now called C. C. Hubbard school. She was a member of Taylor United Methodist Church, Ottumwa.

Surviving are her step-father, Everett Morney, Sedalia; four daughters, Mrs. Gloria Jean Dawson, Denver, Colo.; Mrs. Etta Kathryn Jackson, Las Vegas, Nev.; Mrs. Hattie Lou Goodwin, Sedalia; Loretta Mae Arsbury, Kansas City; two sons, Thomas Gus Hogan, Denver, Colo.; Billy Bush Hogan, Kansas City; a brother, Harold Hogan, Kansas City, Kan.; 15 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Preceding her in death besides her parents were the late Walker Hogan, Jr., and a brother, Thomas Bush.

The body is at the Alexander Funeral Home. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Mrs. Elizabeth Clark

Mrs. Elizabeth Clark, 80, 1205 South Osage, died Wednesday at her home.

She was born May 23, 1889, at Edwardsville, Ill., and was reared and educated there. She was married to Clarence Clark, who preceded her in death in 1958.

Mrs. Clark lived in Sedalia after the death of her husband.

Surviving are a nephew, James Brown, Salt Lake City, Utah; three nieces, Mrs. Kenneth Maurer, Bridgeton, Mo.; Mrs. Eugene Rosen, Florissant, Mo.; and Mrs. Fred Martin, St. Charles, Ill.

Graveside services will be held at 1 p.m. Friday at Woodlawn Cemetery, Edwardsville, Ill.

The body will lie in state at the McLaughlin Funeral Chapel until 8 a.m. Friday.

Henry Pfeiffer

KANSAS CITY — Henry Pfeiffer, a former Sedalian, died at 11:15 a.m. Wednesday at Lake Side Hospital here. He had been in ill health for the past two years.

He was born May 11, 1886, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Gerlach Pfeiffer, and was reared and educated in Sedalia. For the past 30 years he had lived and worked in Kansas City.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Joe Pfeiffer and Emil Pfeiffer.

Surviving are his wife, the former Alice Winters; a daughter, Mrs. Herman Hoff, 621 East Ninth, and five other children; two brothers, Frank Pfeiffer, 1409 South Stewart; Charles Pfeiffer, 1806 South Grand; four sisters, Miss Mary Pfeiffer, and Mrs. Otto Bahner, 239 South Stewart; Mrs. James Eagen, 316 West Fourth; Mrs. Peter Stohr, 500 West Fourth, and several grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Independence.

The 1906 earthquake that destroyed San Francisco rated 8.2 on the scale developed by seismologist Charles F. Richter. The earthquake in Anchorage and southern Alaska on March 27, 1964, rated 8.5.

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Donald G. Burton

ROELAND PARK, KAN. — Donald G. Burton, 32, formerly of Lincoln, died here Tuesday.

He was born Oct. 15, 1936, at Clyde, Calif., son of Ray and Florence Burton, and moved to Lincoln with his family in 1948. He married Marcia Gordon, Kansas City, in 1965 and she preceded him in death May 14, 1968. Also preceding him in death was his mother in 1964.

Mr. Burton was a graduate of Central Missouri State College and had been a teacher in the Shawnee-Mission, Kan., district for the past 11 years.

Surviving are his father and step-mother, Ethel Burton, Lincoln; a twin brother, Darrell Burton, Lincoln; a brother, James Burton, Greenwood; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Burton, Warsaw, and two nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday at the Amos Chapel, Shawnee, Kan.

Graveside services and burial will be at 3:30 p.m. Friday in the Lincoln Cemetery.

Charles Louis Derr

FLORENCE — Charles Louis Derr, 80, died Wednesday at his home.

He was born Oct. 6, 1888, at Marshfield, Wis., son of the late George and Carrie Derr. He married Ethel Suggs, who survives of the home.

Also surviving are a son, James Derr, Kansas City, Kan., and a step-daughter, Mrs. Bernice Wornall, Kansas City, Mo.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday at the Scrivner Funeral Chapel, Stover, with the Rev. Guy Brown officiating. Burial will be in St. Paul's Cemetery, near Stover.

Elmer Estes

WARSAW — Elmer E. Estes, 69, died Tuesday evening at Wetzel Hospital in Clinton, where he had been a patient for the past week.

Born in Hastina, Mo., Aug. 8, 1899, he was the son of James and Joann Estes.

In 1922 he was married to Eula Hensley at Warsaw. They spent their entire married life on a farm near Warsaw.

Mr. Estes was a well-known trucker.

Survivors include his wife Eula, of the home; three sons, Junior Estes, Paul Estes, and Eugene Estes, all of Warsaw; one daughter, Christine Ward, Rockford, Ill.; 11 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at the Reser Funeral Chapel, Warsaw, with the Rev. Jim Lee officiating. Burial will be in Riverside Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

Funeral Services

Mrs. Lucille Waddell

VERSAILLES — Funeral services for Mrs. Lucille Waddell, 78, who died Wednesday, will be held at 11 a.m. Friday at the Kidwell Funeral Home.

Burial will be in Glenstead Cemetery, north of Versailles.

Kathrene J. Thompson

WARSAW — Funeral services for Kathrene J. Thompson, 43, who died Sunday, were held at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Reser Chapel, with the Rev. Elmo Terry officiating.

Burial was in Riverside Cemetery.

Memories

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of a battleship nearby which was busy pounding the beach. The shells went directly over LST 53.

During this period the ship took aboard prisoners and American and Allied wounded. In the next few days the ship made several trips to Southampton, England, ferrying supplies and equipment to the beaches and returning with more prisoners and wounded.

Baker's ship then went south, taking part in the invasion of Southern France several weeks later.

Urton, aboard the Kendrick, kept busy. His general quarters station was a trainer on the ship's machine guns. "Our five-inch guns fired at targets on the beach, about three miles away, as often as we were requested to do so. Our light machine guns strafed the beaches during the landings, the bullets hitting the sand just ahead of the infantrymen," Urton said.

Urton, like Baker, saw the initial assault and remained on station until June 8, when his ship was pulled out to join in

'Show-Me' Meet Lacks A Quorum

WARRENSBURG — The Show-Me Regional Planning Commission met recently at the Johnson County Courthouse here and heard Mark Lawner of General Planning and Resource Consultants present a third preliminary report on the comprehensive development plan, covering public facilities and development policy. Public meetings will be set this fall for comment from the general public.

Due to a lack of a quorum no official business was transacted.

Lawner suggested that the commission consider a tour of the rapidly growing counties around St. Louis to observe planning problems and methods of meeting them.

Frank Schwarzer, executive director of the Show-Me Commission, reported the proposal for funding the development plan for the second year was returned by the federal Department of Housing and Urban Development to the state. He said the status of the regional plan and city plans will be established as soon as state funds are appropriated to match federal funds.

He also advised that the law enforcement plan of the commission was filed with the Law Enforcement Assistance Council and upon federal approval the plan will be considered.

Schwarzer also reported on a recent joint meeting of the Water Resources Board, Soil Conservation Service, Farmers Home Administration, Department of Health, City of Holden, Johnson County Water District D, Show-Me Regional Planning Commission and University of Missouri Extension Division. This meeting was held to inform all concerned of the two proposals for water in the area and the need for a thorough study to determine the best long range water plan for the area.

Commission members and interested persons in attendance included: Allan Mahnen of Corder, Buford Thurmon of Higginsville, Walter Niehaus and Donald Pangborn of Napoleon, Lloyd Graham of Leeton, Paul Steinkuehler of LaMonte, William J. Klingenberg of Lafayette County, Robert Tackett of Johnson County, Stan Ponce of University of Missouri Extension Division, Mark Lawner of GRPC, St. Louis, and Frank Schwarzer, Executive Director of the Show-Me Regional Planning Commission.

China Press Told To Stop Publishing

KUALA LUMPUR, Malaysia (AP) — Acting under emergency powers, the government Thursday suspended the China Press, a Chinese daily newspaper.

the invasion of Southern France.

Wednesday night at the VFW Club Urton and Baker got together with another veteran of the invasion, George E. Rodgers, 802 East Ninth, who landed on Utah Beach a few days after the invasion began, to talk over old times.

Rodgers, a lineman with the 6th Armored Division Artillery, arrived while the beach was still smoking. "We ran into a lot of trouble later on, but on the beach all we had to do was some mopping up, clearing mines, routing out snipers, etc.," he recalls.

There are probably other Sedalians who made the landing, or participated in some way in the invasion. They and their friends, along with the rest of the world, will remember what happened on June 6, 1944, especially on their 25th anniversary of D-Day.



Fire Destroys Home

Fire destroyed this vacated house north of Windsor Junction at about 2 a.m. Thursday. The owner, Ted Houts, reported to Pettis County fire officials that the house had previously been rented by a Lincoln family. The family

has been gone some time, he said. Cause of the fire was not known. One report stated that one, possibly two, smaller buildings were also destroyed. (Democrat-Capital Photo)

DAILY RECORD

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Son, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gerke, Pilot Grove, May 25 at St. Joseph's Hospital, Boonville, Weight, 7 pounds, 12 ounces. Named, Patrick James.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kempf, John Gerke, Pilot Grove, is the paternal grandfather.

Son, to Mr. and Mrs. James Stephens, 710 East 15th, at Bothwell Hospital at 8:38 a.m. Wednesday. Weight, 8 pounds, 12½ ounces.

Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Geary Gordon, 611 North Quincy, at Bothwell Hospital at 11:19 a.m. Wednesday. Weight, 6 pounds, 15½ ounces.

Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Doyel, Kansas City, at Bothwell Hospital at 12:27 p.m. Wednesday. Weight, 7 pounds, 3 ounces.

Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. William Rimel, Ottumwa, at Bothwell Hospital at 3:10 a.m. Thursday. Weight, 6 pounds, 10 ounces.

Hospital

BOTHWELL — Admitted: Mrs. Frances Lappatt, Route 1; David Charles Wiesing, 1616 West 11th; Miss Joyce Harp, 609 East 16th; Loren F. Cline, 1428 South Snead; Mrs. James Mitchell, 1604 East 11th; Mrs. Alice Brown, Cole Camp; Curtis Judd, 1211 East Broadway; Mrs. Erma Schnabel, Ionia; Mrs. Carl Rowan, Lincoln; Mrs. Mary C. Spencer, Simmons Nursing Home; Mrs. Lydia M. Starkey, 616 North Stewart; Mrs. Gertrude E. Janney, LaMonte; Miss Vicki Bearden, 1710 West 16th; Mrs. Bernice Pahlow, 1908 South Quincy; Miss Cheryl Wahrenbrock, 907 West Fourth; Mrs. Gordon Alsbaugh, 2501 Dennis Road; Mrs. Donald E. Hunt, 634 East 15th; Leo Coxon, 2218 West Second; Mrs. Clarence White, 604 West Sixth; Mrs. Joyce Ball, 510 Dal Whi Mo.

Dismissed: Miss Stephanie Couig, 210 South Gentry; Mrs. Charles Lee and daughter, 502 Morgan; Miss Kami Cook, Smithton; Mrs. E. C. Schlichting, 122 East 10th; Terry Oehrke, Route 4; Mrs. Hattie Stevens, Route 4; James Mullins, Hughesville; Michael Firsick, 1804 South Osage; Miss Maebelle Aldrich, 2803 Clinton Road; Mrs. John Meyer, Route 4; Mrs. David Renno, 1315 East Broadway; Carl Sweeney, Warsaw; Mrs. James Postlethwait, Warrensburg; Joseph Murphy, 708 Wilkerson; Albert Anderson, 409 North Heard; Ernest Wilshusen, Cole Camp; George Huffman, 201 East Williamson; Guy Richardson, Route 1.

Accidents

A 1960 Buick driven by LeRoy H. Hodges, 75, 1503 West Third, and a 1966 Ford driven south on Barrett by Billy Dean Crum, 42, 1621 South Grand, were involved in an accident in the 300 block of South Barrett at 4 p.m. Wednesday.

The right rear of the Buick and the right front of the Ford were damaged.

A parked 1967 Chevrolet owned by Leo C. Setters, 39, Kansas City, was involved in a hit-and-run accident on the Holiday Inn parking lot about 10:30 a.m. Wednesday.

The right front of the Chevrolet was damaged.

A 1967 Buick driven by Norbert P. Ganter, 63, 1304 West Tenth, and a 1962 Ford driven by Walter L. Fuqua, 84, Route 2, was involved in an accident on the Third National Bank parking lot at 9:14 a.m. Wednesday.

The left side of the Buick and the right side of the Ford were damaged.

A 1969 Ford which had been parked at 508 West 16th by Milton J. Smith, Route 1, rolled into the Ideal Food Market building at 4:06 p.m. Wednesday, damaging the left rear of the car and the door, a window and the wall of the store. Smith said he had the brake set on the car.

A 1965 Dodge parked in the 100 block on East Main by Annetta Mary Klein, Route 3, was struck by a 1963 Dodge driven by Edwin E. O'Neil, Ottumwa, at 6:39 p.m. Wednesday, according to the accident report. The left side of the Klein car and the right front of the O'Neil car were damaged.

A 1963 Chevrolet driven by Thomas W. Logan, 325 East Harvey, and a 1965 Chevrolet driven by Sue A. Cloninger, 1625 East 16th, were involved in an accident at 16th and Ohio at 8:02 p.m. Wednesday. The rear of the Logan car and the left front of the Cloninger car were damaged.

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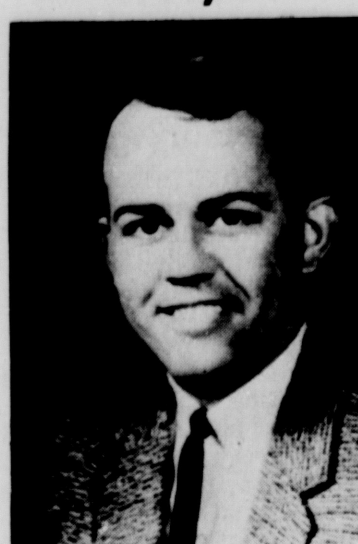
John Richard Mills, LaMonte, and Susan Jean Wheeler, LaMonte.

Robert Wayne Madorin, 1800 South Carr, and Judith Ann Goyer, Route 2.

Police Report

Gib Owen reported Thursday morning someone broke out the

Youth Agent Is Assigned To Liberty



Charles Spradling

Charles Spradling, Extension area youth agent for Pettis, Henry, Johnson and Lafayette Counties, has been reassigned to Liberty, Mo., where he will be Clay County youth agent.

Spradling has been youth agent here since September, 1967. He was publicity chairman for the United Fund campaign last year when the drive reached and topped its goal for the first time in 10 years. He has directed the 4-H Junior Leader program conducted for the mentally retarded, and served as an administrative board member and chairman of the council on ministries and a member of the commission on finance of the First United Methodist Church.

He was also a member of Masonic Lodge No. 236, AF & AM.

Spradling, who holds a B.S. in education and M.A. in education, guidance and counseling, hopes to attend the University of Missouri-Kansas City while at his new post.

He and his family have lived at 106 Helen Circle.

windshield on a truck on the T & O Lime & Phosphate Co. lot, 808 North Grand, sometime Wednesday night.

Mrs. George West, 301 East Fourth, reported to police someone took some bed clothing from the above address sometime Tuesday night.

Circuit Court

A petition for \$25,000 in damages has been filed in Circuit Court by Dian Potter against Howard Hall. The petition is in connection with an accident in the 3200 block on East 12th, Highway 50, on June 26, 1965.

John Stegner, Boonville, is the attorney for the plaintiff.

Hold-Up

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working in the garage near the store when the robbery took place. He stated that he never knew what was taking place until he saw the men leave in a hurry and his sister and West come running toward the garage.

Cunningham notified the Saline County Sheriff's Department and the Highway Patrol.

Later the same afternoon, the Donald Smith residence, just inside Pettis County, was reportedly broken into and some guns taken. This brought Pettis County Sheriff Emmett Fairfax and his deputies to the scene.

A description of the car used in the Cunningham Grocery robbery was passed to law enforcement officers in the area and the manhunt, which continued to work south in the eastern half of Pettis County after the car was spotted, closed in on the men.

One of the officers involved in the search was Highway Patrolman Ralph E. Eutsler, Versailles, who was stationed at the junction of Highways 135 and 50, about nine miles east of Sedalia.

He told The Democrat-Capital that he had received a call by radio that a car bearing the description of the holdup car was headed south on Highway 135.

As the car neared the intersection where Eutsler was stationed, the patrolman saw only two figures in the car and thought it was possibly a man and wife. When the car came up even with him, he said he saw a third person raise up in the back seat and get a gun from the rear floor.

The officer said he shot at the fleeing car with a shotgun and put out the rear window of the car. After giving chase for several miles south on Highway 135, the officer again shot at the car while he was driving, this time shooting out the right rear tire of the fleeing car, which then veered into a ditch on the right of a gravel road.

Eutsler, using his car's public address system ordered the men not to move, but they ignored the order and fled into the surrounding wooded area.

In their haste to leave the scene, the three men left a shotgun and a rifle in the wrecked car.

About 7:15 p.m. the holdup suspects walked into the yard at the Ray Skinner residence, about a mile southeast of Smithton, and asked Skinner if he would take them to town claiming one of them was hurt.

Skinner said that two of the men were holding the third between them, but the man didn't look as if he were injured. Skinner said he went into the house, telling the men he had to get his car keys. He said he loaded his shotgun and called the sheriff.

When authorities arrived one of the men, later identified as Bill Monteer of Sedalia, sat on the porch steps while the other subjects ran south into the underbrush near the Flat Creek bottoms.

By 7:30 p.m. Highway Patrolmen, Sedalia police officers, sheriffs' officers from Pettis, Morgan and Cooper Counties and local farmers

Highway Budget Given Approval

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — The State Highway Commission announced today it has approved a budget of \$52,350,000 to maintain Missouri's 32,000 mile state highway network during the 1970 fiscal year.

The biggest item is \$40,358,958 for normal maintenance, materials, repairs and supervision. Another \$4,235,000 is earmarked to upgrade 500 miles of substandard roads with bituminous mat surfacing.

Snow removal and ice control will cost an estimated \$4 million. Bridge maintenance will take \$2,061,000. \$413,800 is for highway signing, marking and traffic control. \$369,886 for maintenance buildings, \$225,000 to maintain rest areas on Interstate routes and \$132,426 for the headquarters office.

An emergency fund of \$521,930 was set aside to make repairs caused by flood or other damage and to maintain new mileage opened during the year.

Tourism Director Resigns Position

Will B. Davis, a former Sedalian, resigned Tuesday as director of the State Tourism Commission, an agency he helped establish in 1967.

Davis, well-known in journalistic circles, was press secretary to Gov. Warren E. Hearnes and won the governor's support for a bill to establish the tourism agency.

Davis, in ill health recently, resigned for "personal reasons."

began the search for the other two men.

The search, including a Highway Patrol plane, centered in an area east of Route W and between Flat Creek and the Skinner farm.

About 9:45 p.m. one of the men reportedly approached the Joe Harpin residence, about three-fourths of a mile southeast from the Skinner residence apparently seeking transportation again.

Harpin said he held a gun on the man but did not see his partner. He said that when the second man came onto the porch, he grabbed his gun, which was not loaded at the time. He said that the man asked him if he would shoot, and after apparently deciding Harpin wouldn't, ran off.

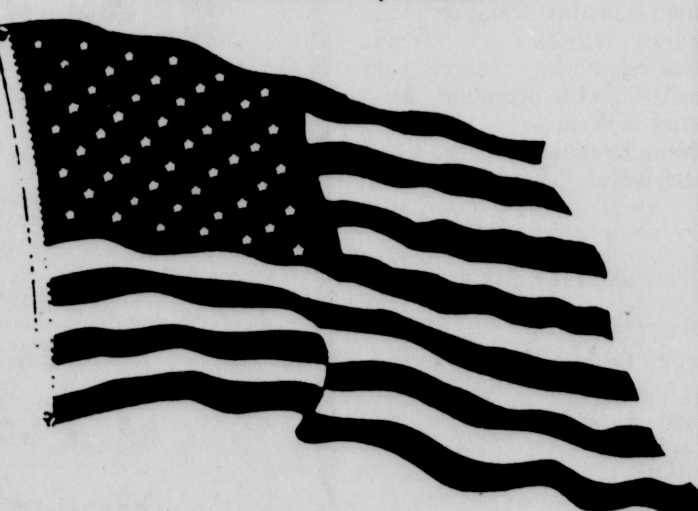
Within minutes, bloodhounds, brought in by the Highway Patrol, were released and after tracking at least one of the men for about a half hour, lost the track.

Rain interfered with the search a short time later.

The two men still at large have been identified by Monteer, who told Sheriff Fairfax they are Leon J. Haselhorst and Dale E. Gaddis, who escaped from Kanopolis State Park, Kansas, where they were in custody of the Kansas State Industrial Reformatory, on May 29. Haselhorst was serving time for breaking and entering. The information on the two escapees did not specify the charge resulting in Gaddis' conviction.

Fairfax said charges of armed robbery are being prepared in Saline County against Monteer.

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Timothy C. Koontz, 21, a 1966 graduate of Knob Noster High School, received the wings of an Army aviator and was appointed a warrant officer May 20 upon graduation from the Army Aviation School near Savannah.

Students Win Various Awards At Bunceton

BUNCETON — The annual awards assembly at Bunceton High School was recently held, with awards presented to students in 10 divisions.

Jennings McKee, superintendent of schools, made the presentations and announced the honor roll for the remaining school year.

Award winners were: JoAnn Gibson, English and social studies; Janette Gibson, mathematics; Robert McKee, science; Nancy Cole, commerce; Robert McKee, "I Dare You"; Ruth Bishop, "I Dare You"; Nancy Cole, Reader's Digest Award; Charlotte Scott, Betty Crocker Homemaking Award; Janette Gibson, Salutatorian; Nancy Cole, Valedictorian.

School letters were presented as follows:

Softball — David Muntzel, Tim ShROUT, Herb Warmbrodt, Robert McKee, Charles Scott, Paul Day, Phil Moore, Randy McCoy, Richard Nelson, Ronnie Hein, Ruth Bishop, Debbie Hurt, Marla Foster, Linda Marriott, Laverne Toellner, Lois Moore, Vicki Thacker, Nancy Smith, Judy Salzman and Dorothy Nauman.

Track — Jim Haswell, Herb Warmbrodt, Tim ShROUT and Linda Marriott.

Music — Herb Warmbrodt, Tim ShROUT, Janette Gibson, JoAnn Gibson, Delilia Rowles, Nancy Cole, Robert McKee, David Muntzel and Judy Salzman.

Scholarship, attendance and school services — Janette Gibson, Nancy Cole, Ruth Bishop, Delilia Rowles, Janet Jobe, Judy Salzman, Lois Moore, and Robert McKee.

The following certificates were presented: perfect attendance, Janet Jobe, Nancy Cole, Brenda Wright, Paul Scott, Glenda Towlin, Shirley Oerly, Donnie Hein, Debbie Gerhardt, Darlene Fry, Carl Jobe, Sara Young, Dorothy Nauman, Melvin Toellner, David Bishop, and Charles Scott.

All "E" — Donna Medlin, Lana Lowe and JoAnn Gibson.

American Legion Awards were presented to Donna Medlin and Paul Scott with runner-up certificates to Sarah Felgar and Charlotte Pethan.

Scholarships were presented to Nancy Cole, Janette Gibson, Janet Jobe, Robert McKee, Delilia Rowles, Charlotte Scott and Laverne Toellner.

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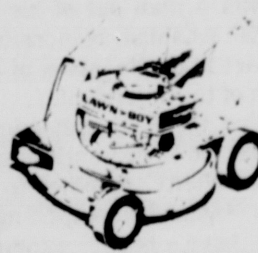
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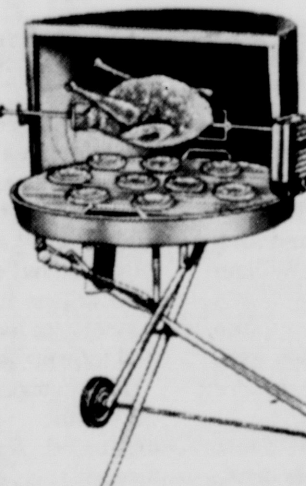
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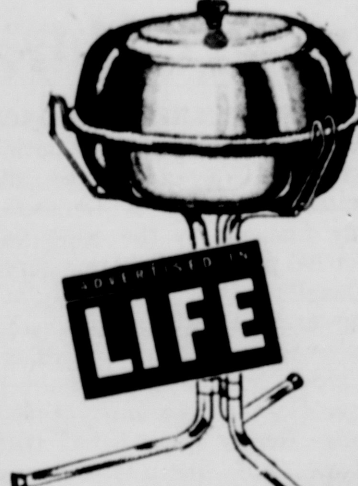
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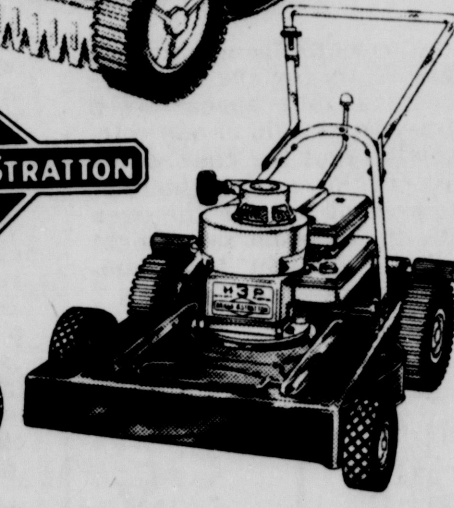
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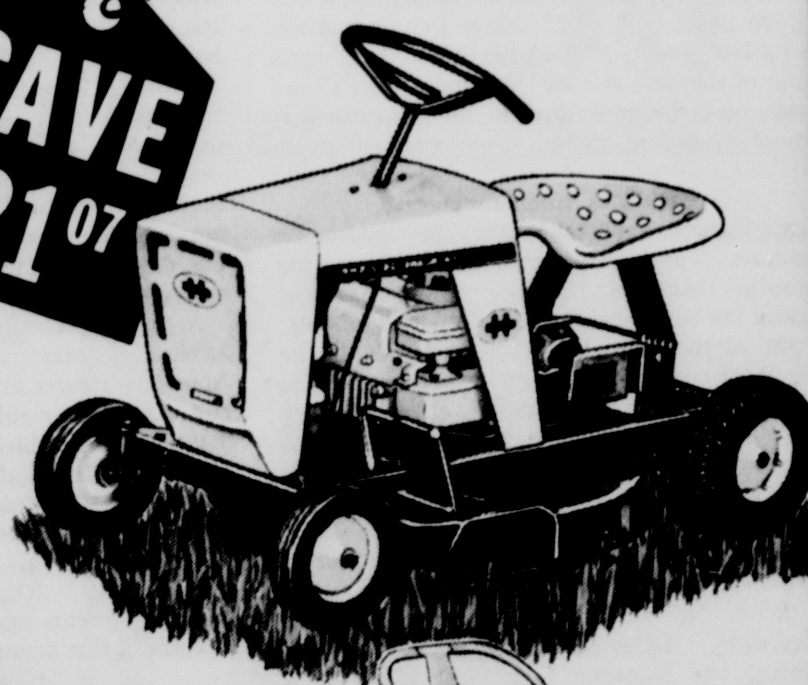
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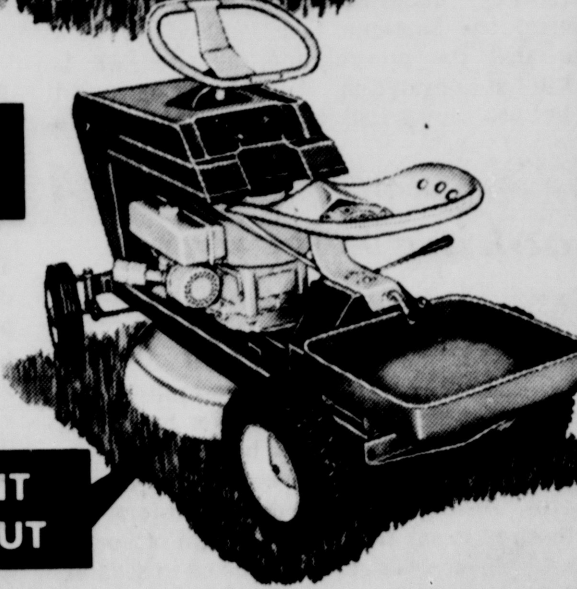
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Open House at Rival

You've got to see it to believe it!

Many Sedalians driving past the Rival Manufacturing Co., who have not been inside, cannot visualize the magnitude of the expanded technical operations performed there day and night.

But even with guided tours such as occurred Tuesday as part of Sedalia's fourth annual Industrial Appreciation Week, one is reminded of the expression, you can't see the wood for the trees. Truly there is such a mass of detailed employee and machinery functions at Rival that it is almost impossible to arrive at a true estimate of the plant as a whole.

Fortunately, visitors attending the open house were supplied by the management with a brochure of information to digest later at their leisure.

Even in abbreviated form, however, three and one-half pages were required to describe the functions of Rival's 18 departments where 472 persons are employed at an annual payroll of \$1,750,000.

Consider the molding department which turns granulated material into plastic products 24 hours a day during three shifts of 34 people each. Dollar value of the raw material is no less than \$1,500,000 per year; investment in machine equipment, \$1,500,000, and a similar sum for molds.

The stamping department works two shifts of eight hours for 20 people. Here there is an investment of \$250,000 for dies

and \$150,000 for machinery.

Investment in plating department machinery approximates \$200,000.

The motor assembly department runs two shifts with 125 people on the first and 50 on the second shift. There are two basic types of electric motors the production value of which amounts to \$3,250,000 annually. Investment in machines and tooling is \$475,000.

All other departments are successive links in the process of producing portable heaters, slicers, hair dryers and broilers; plastic parts, electric motors and chrome-plated parts which go into can openers, ice crushers, mixers, blenders, food choppers, juicers, knives, salad makers and a variety of other household appliances.

Mention here is strictly an abbreviation of what can be seen at Rival's Sedalia plant. We reiterate, you've got to see it to believe it.

Many thanks go to the management for providing visitors an opportunity to see how this manufacturing company, which local citizens have encouraged to expand here, operates in such an efficient manner to make and ship products all over the world.

For hospitality and courtesies on Open House Day, special thanks go to all the personnel and to Manager Vernon Rodick, who has been identified with Sedalia industry for 15 years.

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Washington Merry-Go-Round

Justice Has Doubts on Jury System

By DREW PEARSON AND JACK ANDERSON
WASHINGTON — It now develops that the chief justice, Warren E. Burger, addressed the same "Center for Study of Democratic Institutions" partly financed by the same Parvin Foundation which has paid an annual retainer to Justice William O. Douglas.

Burger must have known where the money came from because the Justice Douglas connection with the group had been well publicized long before Burger spoke in the summer of 1968.

Judge Burger spoke before the Center at Santa Barbara, Calif., and was paid approximately \$400. Officials of the Center emphasized that this was to cover expenses and was not a fee.

What Judge Burger said at the Santa Barbara meeting, however, is probably just as important as the fact that he appeared before an organization subsidized in part by the Parvin Foundation and Las Vegas money.

In his speech Burger raised doubts regarding the American jury system, the Fifth Amendment, and the present system of criminal trials in the United States.

His speech was reported in the November 1968 issue of Center Magazine, official organ of the Center.

"I say that the adversary system (of American courts) is not the best system of criminal justice, and that there is a better way," Judge Burger told the Santa Barbara group. "The American system, up to the time of the final verdict and appeal, puts all the emphasis on techniques, devices, mechanisms. It is the most elaborate system ever devised by a society."

—End Fifth Amendment—

Judge Burger explained what he meant by "techniques, devices, mechanisms," as the presumption that the accused is innocent; the use of juries and the consequent rules regarding evidence; the right of the defendant to remain silent; the placing of the burden of proof on the prosecution.

Many of these "incidents of the adversary system," he said, were introduced after the Magna Carta and after the development of a legal profession because lawyers wanted to offset the enormous imbalance between the power of the king and his establishment on the one hand and that of the individual person on the other. "But are all these devices of the adversary system valid in today's society?" Judge Burger asked.

"I heard one Supreme Court justice say in a seminar that the presumption of innocence is 'rooted in the Constitution.' Well, it may be rooted there, but you cannot find it there. I think we have

certainly been deluded by some of our own utterances. Being deluded have heard — and judges have said — that one should not convict a man out of his own mouth. The fact is that we establish responsibility and liability and we convict in all the areas of civil litigation out of the mouth of the defendant."

"I am no longer sure that the Fifth Amendment concept, in its present form and as presently applied and interpreted, has all the validity attributed to it."

The original reasons against compelling a defendant to answer have been somewhat dissipated, the judge continued. "But whenever I discuss this with some of my colleagues they are horrified. They conjure up images of the rack and the screw."

—Dubious Jury System—

Judge Burger said that it is very difficult to explain the American adversary system of criminal justice to enlightened lawyers and judges in Europe. They are baffled by, for example, the exclusionary rule in the American system. This rule excludes evidence if it has been obtained by a procedure that violates a statute, a regulation, or a basic constitutional right.

One of the fundamentals, the jury system, was questioned by Judge Burger. He noted that use of the jury is rapidly disappearing in England, and it generally does not exist on the continent. In America, however, fewer defendants are waiving their right to a jury in a criminal case than ever before.

Although conceding that time and money are not the only important factors, Judge Burger pointed out that "if we could eliminate the jury we would save a lot of time. In Pennsylvania, juries are waived in 80 per cent of the cases and the system works much better. You can try a case without a jury in one day that would take you a week or two weeks with a jury."

A major cause of the defects in the American adversary system, Judge Burger said, is that the Appellate Courts and the Supreme Court, in their concern for the rights of the individual, have started down a road in which each step is a logical extension of the step immediately preceding it. "but when you get to the end of that road and look back, often you find you have arrived at a place you hadn't intended to go to at all." As an example of "unlooked-for consequences," Judge Burger cited the problem of the police lineup, and the defense attorney acting as monitor of that lineup.

—New GM Lobbyist—

General Motors has quietly moved a new high-powered lobbyist to Washington, replacing its long-time representative Ernest Barcella.

The new man is debonair, astute Gordon Hall, who in 1964 was a top confidential adviser to GOP candidate Barry Goldwater, got him a GM "Stingray" car, and helped him write speeches. Though Hall worked in Goldwater's campaign office, he remained on General Motors' payroll, probably in violation of the Corrupt Practices Act since corporations are not permitted to make political contributions.

Complacent Democrats did not prosecute — as the tough Nixon administration is prosecuting other cases today — and Hall has now been moved to Washington to use his persuasive influence on the Republicans.

Democrat Pickups

The young boy complained of his back hurting, and somebody suggested that it might be from mowing the grass.

"No," he explained, "I don't think it is the mower. I think it is from leaning over the school desk. You see, I am having a test." H. L.

—O—

After drinking a couple of small glasses of Coke the little boy wanted some more.

"I don't think you can hold any more," his mother told him.

"Then you hold it," he said, "and I'll drink it." H. L.

"Chemical" Shells

If World War II had continued, both Great Britain and Germany planned on loading all types of artillery shells with toxic chemicals.

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Burger Apt to Seek Advice In Revising Criminal Code

By RAY CROMLEY
NEA Washington Correspondent



WASHINGTON (NEA)

This reporter predicts that when Judge Warren Earl Burger becomes chief justice of the United States, he will take steps to draw in Congress, the nation's bar associations, a wide array of federal and state judges and university professors in making some of the decisions on evidence and police procedures that the Supreme Court has made alone this past decade.

If Burger does this, the net effect will be to modify in practice, if not on the court records, some of the more controversial decisions of the Supreme Court under Chief Justice Earl Warren insofar as they affect the rules and practices of criminal procedure. These include police arrest methods, identification of witnesses and pretrial procedures.

A reading of Judge Burger's decisions and his writing for legal and other journals makes it almost certain that, as chief justice, Burger will take advantage of a law passed almost three decades ago under which the Supreme Court can appoint an advisory committee for criminal rules.

Such a committee would be composed of eminent and representative members of the legal profession, including practicing lawyers, judges and law professors. It would carry on hearings, seminars, empirical studies, come up with a tentative draft for a revised set of federal rules of criminal procedure.

This draft would be circulated to thousands of lawyers, judges and law professors for criticism and comment.

Presumably, the judicial conferences of the 11 circuits of the Federal Court of Appeals and many bar associations would hold seminars to study and report their views.

When the results of this activity came in, the Supreme Court's advisory committee would then revise its tentative rules to take into account the suggestions received. It would then circulate a second preliminary draft. The grinding process of study, challenge, debate and criticism would be repeated.

After being again examined and approved by the advisory committee, the new rules would be submitted to the Supreme Court.

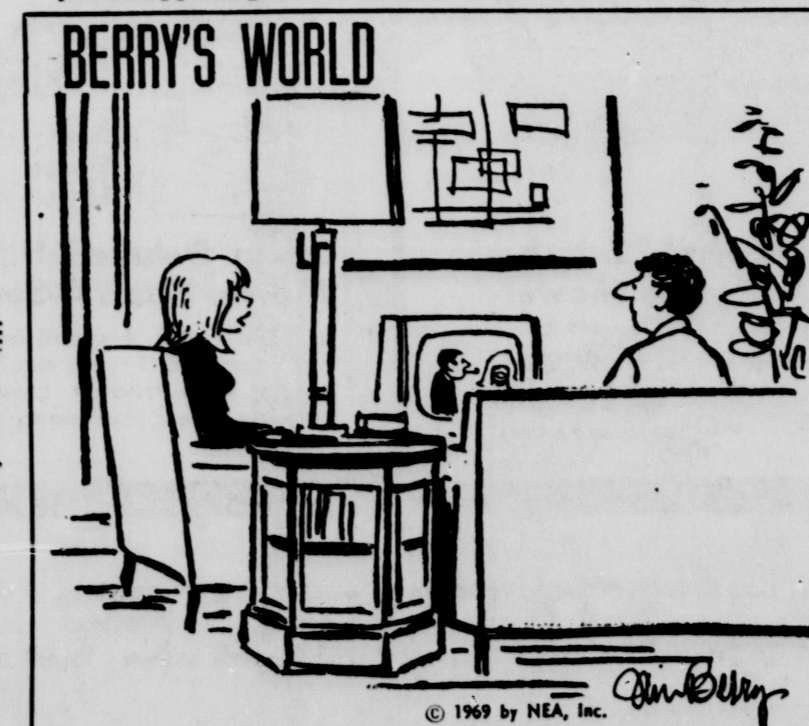
Once approved by the court, the rewritten federal rules of criminal procedure would be sent to Congress. If Congress made no modification within a stated period, these rules would become law.

This technique was tried successfully in 1941 with civil rules of procedure and afterward with criminal rules of procedure. But it has not been tried now for over a decade. It is in that decade that the Supreme Court, in a series of controversial decisions on evidence and police methods, has, in effect, changed the nation's rules on criminal procedures piecemeal in ways which have given rise to a great deal of concern both inside and outside of the courts.

The "genius of this scheme," says Burger, is that it would be "a joint enterprise of the judiciary and Congress and the legal profession as a whole."

This may be what Burger was referring to when he said some time back (before he knew he was to be chief justice):

"We must recognize that the constitutional concepts 'tacked on' in these dozen years or so (by the Supreme Court) may not be as permanent as they appear when they are consistently arrived at by the margin of one vote, with four justices sharply suggesting that the cake which the court was baking did not have all the essential ingredients of a good cake and that it has not been in the oven long enough. . . . Thus the constitutional result so wrought against the protest of four may be 'unwrought' by so simple a happening as the advent of one or two new justices."



"What you don't realize is that Hugh Hefner, being a rich bachelor with all those beautiful girls, only THINKS he's happy!"

Shooting the Patio Breeze

By BETTY CANARY

Porches are hosed down and flowering baskets hooked up, side yards are littered with bicycles and bathing suits drip over clotheslines. The barbecue grills and the lawn chairs and tables are out for another season. And conversations drift from the patios:

"... and I just said to Mary Lou that she was not going to the drive-in movie. I'm not so old that I don't remember what goes on in the backs of cars!"

"That wagon of mine will do 105. I opened her up on the road north of town ... they never patrol there, you know."

"I saw Ralph at church this morning and he said he has his house up for sale and they're moving to Brentwood. Why, sure ... didn't you know some of them had moved in just three houses away?"

"Well, I told my Janet she could volunteer to help with that summer reading program in the West End if she wanted to but to just remember that they'll never appreciate one thing she does for them."

"I'm all for this peace and love business but I always say, 'Charity begins at home!'"

"I just laid it on the line to George! Told him he was old enough to be making up his mind and taking on some responsibility, but if he wanted to go to THAT college, then he wouldn't get one red cent from me."

"I can't understand why the kid won't turn his hand over around here. We've both of us killed ourselves working to give him everything he has ever wanted. . . ."

"Don't know why that daughter of mine wants to dress like that. Just look at her mother there—still as cute as when we went to high school together. Always has that ribbon in her hair and everything."

"Who can understand kids today? Here I pulled strings to get him into my office for the summer and HE wants to work as a camp counselor!"

"I redecorated her room and it was so sweet and pretty ... pink-flowered wallpaper, an orderly spread and curtains to match ... and then she put up all those stupid posters and just ruined it."

"Honestly, I HAD to laugh. Ralph is so funny when he gets mad. You should have heard him telling our daughter's boy friend off! He said 'All you kids say you're trying to find yourselves! Well, just cut your hair and there you'll be!'"

"Julia is her own worst enemy. I told her it's her fault she doesn't have any dates. She's so unsure of herself. Now, when I was her age I never had a pimple and I was the best dancer in school. I was the captain of the girls' hockey team and won the top award in Latin class, too."

"Naw, these kids today don't want to listen to anybody. They think they know everything."

DOCTOR'S MAILBAG

No Cause for Worry About Checkup Terms

By WAYNE G. BRANDSTADT, M.D.

Q — After a complete check-up my doctor reported the following findings: Labile hypertension, spina bifida occulta S-1 and hyperostosis frontalis interna. In simple language, what do these terms mean? Are they serious?

A — Labile hypertension means that your systolic blood pressure (the upper reading) is high and fluctuates widely. This is usually caused by nervous apprehension in the presence of a doctor or a blood pressure apparatus. It is not serious if the lower reading is below 100.

Spina bifida occulta is a congenital defect in which the right and left halves of the vertebrae forming the spinal canal fail to fuse at some point — in your case at the level of the first sacral vertebra. "Occulta" signifies that there is no bulging out of the contents of the spinal canal. This type of defect can be discovered only by X-ray. It is of no significance.

Hyperostosis frontalis interna is a thickening of the frontal bone in your skull. This condition is most frequently seen in men who are past 40. The cause is unknown. The condition may be associated with headache but usually produces no symptoms. No treatment other than headache tablets, if needed, is required.

Q — My doctor told me to take mineral oil every night for my diverticulitis. Since taking it I have not had any symptoms. I read that you do not approve of mineral oil. Please comment.

A — One man's meat is another man's poison. If you are happy with small daily doses of mineral oil there is no need for you to stop taking them.

Q — In a recent column you mentioned the dangers of inhaling asbestos dust. I have been using an asbestos plate over the gas flame on my stove. Could this endanger my health?

A — No appreciable amount of asbestos dust would get into the air from this source.

Q — What effect would the taking of Serax over a period of three years have on an elderly woman?

A — This popular tranquilizer may be habit forming and its discontinuance should be gradual. In some elderly persons its prolonged use leads to too great a lowering of the blood pressure.

Taxpayers Ask IRS

Q — My son won a savings bond as the best English student in his graduating class. Would the value of the bond be taxable income to him?

A — Whether the prize is taxable or not depends on the circumstances under which it was won. If your son had to perform a specific act to win the prize, such as write an essay or develop an experiment, the prize would be taxable.

A prize given in recognition of past accomplishments in religious, charitable, scientific, artistic, educational, literary or civic fields is not taxable if the recipient is selected without action on his part and is not expected to render future services as a condition of receiving the award.

WIN AT BRIDGE

Good Play Saves Old-time Bidding

By Oswald & James Jacoby

NORTH		5	
♠ K J 10 8			
♥ 6 5			
♦ A 8			
♣ K 9 7 4 2			
WEST	EAST		
♠ 7 2	♠ 3		
♥ Q 9 2	♥ K J 8 4 3		
♦ K Q J 9	♦ 10 7 6 5 4		
♣ Q 10 8 3	♣ J 5		
SOUTH (D)			
♠ A Q 9 6 5 4			
♥ A 10 7			
♦ 3 2			
♣ A 6			
Both vulnerable			
West	North	East	South
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠
Opening lead—♦ K			

The bidding of today's hand is pre-Culbertson style. In those early days of contract the jump raise to four spades was stronger than the jump to three spades, and was considered to be a mild slam try. Actually North had overbid a trifle by those early standards, so that the late Jean Matteys, one of the best players of that day, felt fully justified in jumping to six.

That was the way to bid slams in those days. There was no Blackwood convention to ask for aces and if your partner put down the wrong dummy it was unfortunate.

Actually this unscientific bidding frequently paid off. If this hand were played today in a duplicate game we feel most pairs would stop at four spades.

Furthermore, a lot of the South players would wind up making only 11 tricks.

South should be able to make the slam by setting up dummy's fifth club for a diamond discard and conceding a heart, but there's quite a trap in the play. Jean did not fall into it.

He won the diamond lead in dummy, cashed one trump and went after clubs while one trump was still out against him. If the second club had been ruffed Jean would have been down two but in that case there would have been no play for the contract. When the second club went through, Jean ruffed a third club, entered dummy with a second trump play, ruffed another club, returned to dummy with a third trump, discarded his last diamond on the fifth club and conceded a heart trick.

QUICK QUIZ

Q — Is the Atlantic cod a prolific species?

A — Yes, a 40-inch female cod can produce annually from three to four million eggs.

Q — How do vicunas usually travel?

A — They travel the central Andes in small bands of females, usually with a single male leader.

Q — How reliable is the geyser, "Old Faithful"?

A — On the average, it erupts for about 4 minutes once in every 65 minutes. Men have observed it for more than 80 years, and it has not missed an eruption during that time.

Miss Shaeffer Presented
50-Year Pin by Local DAR

Miss Rebekah Shaeffer was presented her 50-year pin as a member of the Osage Chapter, Daughters of the American

Revolution, at its meeting May 24 at Bothwell Hotel. The presentation was made by Miss Jessie Browneller.

The meeting opened with a dessert luncheon with Mrs. George McCurdy, regent, presiding.

A moment of silent prayer was held in memory of Mrs. Ada Lee Bishop.

Mrs. Perry Strole gave the devotional. The flag ritual was given by Mrs. Harry E. Lindstrom, and the "President's Message" was read by Miss Mary Hurlbut.

Mrs. McCurdy gave the report of the Junior American Citizens. Pins were presented to Melvin Curr and Alice Kemp of Hubbard School.

The DAR resolutions were read by Mrs. C. F. Scotten.

Mrs. McCurdy and Mrs. William K. Lewis gave reports to the Continental Congress which they attended in Washington, D.C.

Mrs. McCurdy told of the cherry blossoms in Washington while they were there, stating that there were 100,000 tourists there at this time.

She remarked that they were warned not to be on the streets alone after dark. She also told of attending the memorial service which was held for the 4,110 members who had died last year.

The Missouri brunch was held at the Mayflower Hotel. Mrs. McCurdy said, after which they went to the White House where they were guests of Mrs. Nixon at a tea. An impressive evening program was held using a large American flag lowered from the ceiling to just above the national regent.

Mrs. McCurdy reported that the DAR had sent \$49,000 to American Indians during 1969.

Mrs. Lewis in her report noted that 2,000 delegates attended this 78th meeting and that one third of the membership is under 35 years of age.

The main speaker at the Continental Congress, Mrs. Lewis said, was Al Capp, cartoonist, creator of "Li'l Abner."

Mrs. Lewis told of the many awards made to people for patriotic work in 1969. A complete history of the American flag was given by the National Drum and Bugle Corps.

The banquet was held the last night with Edmund Harding, humorist, as speaker. A trip to Williamsburg and a tour of Monticello, was enjoyed, Mrs. Lewis said.

Hostesses were: Mrs. Jundson Banks, Miss Maurine Harris, Mrs. H. E. Lindstrom, Mrs. John C. Ryan, Mrs. Stanley Fisher, Mrs. William B. Lewis and Mrs. Karl J. Berry.

with melted butter and grated cheese. Place under broiler until cheese is melted. Combine asparagus in casserole dishes with ham, chicken, turkey, or cheese.

Add asparagus tips to scrambled eggs. Combine equal parts of sour cream and mayonnaise. Add seasoned pepper. Place on top of cooked asparagus. Season asparagus with sour cream and caraway seed, celery seed or sesame seed.



To Attend Boys' State

Andrew Beard (left) son of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Beard, Knob Noster; Ed Godwin, (center) son of Col. and Mrs. Jasper L. Godwin, Whiteman AFB; and Larry Marks, (right) son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Marks, Knob Noster; have been selected from the junior class of

Knob Noster High School to attend the 1969 session of Missouri Boys' State. The boys, sponsored by the Knob Noster Optimist Club, will attend the session on the Central Missouri State College Campus, Warrensburg, June 14-21.

Removal of Poison Gas
By Army Asked in Suit

DENVER, Colo. (AP) — A former congressman went to federal court today, seeking to force the Army to get rid of deadly gases it has stored at Rocky Mountain Arsenal, near Denver's busy airport.

Included in the suit was a scientist's report contending the Army has stored enough lethal gas at the arsenal to wipe out the world's present population many times over.

Former U.S. Rep. Byron L. Johnson, a member of the University of Colorado faculty, and four others brought the suit as a class action on behalf of all residents of the area.

They asked a federal judge for an injunction prohibiting the government from storing "chemical and biological warfare agents in any shape or manner" at the arsenal.

Defendants are Secretary of Defense Melvin Laird, Secretary of the Army Stanley R. Resor and Lt. Col. John A. Bryan, commander of the arsenal.

The memorandum included an exhibit in the suit, signed by two University of Colorado physicists and three other scientists and an attorney, quoted Lt. Col. S. J. Efnor, commander of the arsenal in 1954, as saying, "the gas from a single bomb the size of a quart fruit jar could kill every living thing within a cubic mile, depending on the wind and weather conditions ... a tiny drop of the gas in its liquid form on the back of a man's hand will paralyze his nerves instantly and deaden his brain in a few seconds. Death will follow in 30 seconds."

The report said steel canisters shown in a 1963 newspaper photograph could contain enough poison gas to kill the entire present population of the world 33 times.

The suit contended the agents were stored and handled in a "hazardous, unreasonable and careless manner, in that such agents are stockpiled in the open in dangerous proximity to

continuous low-flying aircraft, and on an earthquake fault line that has in the recent past resulted in hundreds of tremors and earthquakes."

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New Home Furnishings Material

There is something new in materials for home furnishings. It can be shaped, colored and formed like other materials, but it has an added advantage — when you get tired of it, you can throw it away. The material new to home furnishings is paper.

Paper as we have known it, something to write on or wrap in and, more recently, even to dress in, isn't new. But in combination with other materials it has new properties which make it suitable for home furnishings. Paper can now be reinforced with nylon and impregnated with glass fibers. Fiberboard can be coated with polyethylene film and paper board can be finished with plastic.

Today's homemaker can already find storage units, draperies, rugs and even chairs and tables made of disposable materials such as paper or processed or reinforced paper products. Vases, trays, bowls, and wall hangings made from paper are pretty and comparatively inexpensive. They are available in bright solid colors and prints. And when you tire of them and want to make a change, you can dispose of them without hesitation.

Forest product utilization specialists with the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Forest Service believe that one of the greatest potentials for paper products is in the child's world. Paper clothes, toys, and furnishings could answer an immediate need with satisfaction but without great investment.

Silver

You will enjoy your silver more if you keep it bright and beautiful. Here are a few suggestions to make this task easier.

For badly tarnished silver use the fast acting dip type polish. Dip small pieces, but wet a sponge and wipe off the blackened tarnish on pieces too large to dip. Silverware manufacturers say dip type polishes won't hurt silver, but it should be rinsed and wiped dry promptly. Use a cream polish to buff, give luster and restore the best color to silver after using dip polishes. For silver pieces left on display, like that heirloom tea service, use a tarnish retarding polish.

Tarnish retarding polishes vary in effectiveness. Some give several months resistance to tarnishing. It may be worthwhile to try several kinds. Actually, these polishes react with the surface of the silver and more rubbing usually makes the silver stay bright longer. Avoid unnecessary handling of silver because finger marked areas usually tarnish first.

Asparagus

Asparagus was well known as an appetizer at ancient Roman dinners. As early as 200 B.C. Cato gave detailed gardening instructions that would be considered good today, except that he recommended the use of seed from wild plants.

It is possible that asparagus was one of the first frozen

vegetables. Cato, the Roman historian, wrote of the Feast of Epicurus. He said, "asparagus, grown along the River Tiber, was picked in season and rushed by chariot and fast runner to the snows of the Alps for preservation. Then at the Feast of Epicurus, six months later, the asparagus was rushed back to Rome after being well preserved in the mountain snows."

Thomas Jefferson introduced asparagus to the United States. One of his hobbies was importing seeds of asparagus, which he grew in his green house, while he was a resident of the White House.

Some asparagus beds today are started from seeds, but most are started from crowns obtained from a nursery. These crowns are a root system, that look somewhat like a wet mop. Asparagus is a heavy feeder and the root system goes quite deep, therefore it is necessary to have the upper 12 to 15 inches of soil well fertilized.

It takes about two years for an asparagus bed to produce a crop, but it will produce a profitable crop for ten years or more, with little care.

Asparagus grows rapidly, especially if the weather is warm. It may grow eight to ten inches a day. It is necessary to cut it often. This cutting is usually done by hand. There are mechanical aids used in harvesting asparagus which hold the pickers and move them along the rows for picking but no successful mechanical harvesting equipment is available at present.

The sweet flavor of the asparagus spear is maintained by keeping it below 41 degrees F. and the butt kept damp all the way from the shipper's refrigerator to the point when it is to be prepared. When asparagus warms up to room temperature, the flavor deteriorates rapidly.

How to Use Asparagus

Good quality asparagus should be fresh, tender, and firm with close compact tips. A tender stalk is better. The tips should be a bright green or purplish green in color. The whole stalk, with the exception of an inch or 2 at the base should be brittle. A small amount of white at the base helps to preserve moisture in the green part.

Fresh asparagus should be used as soon as possible. If it must be stored, place it in the coldest part of the refrigerator (not freezing compartment), wrapped at base with a damp paper towel.

Before cooking, wash and break or cut off the woody ends. Cook until tender crisp. This will take about eight to ten minutes.

Asparagus may be served plain with butter, salt, pepper or add sliced hard cooked eggs to buttered asparagus. Add Parmesan cheese or lemon juice to buttered asparagus. Serve with horseradish sauce, cheese Hollandaise sauce, or white sauce.

Use raw or cooked asparagus in salads. Arrange cooked stalks of asparagus on toast, sprinkle

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Royals' Streak Ends at One, While Cardinals Take Braves

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
It was like old times for the St. Louis Cardinals Thursday, but the Kansas City Royals would just as soon look ahead to new times.

Bob Gibson pitched a seven-hitter to record his seventh victory in 10 decisions and Lou Brock singled, stole second and rode home on Vada Pinson's single in the eighth inning to bring the Cards a 4-3 victory over the Atlanta Braves.

That gave the Cardinals two

straight victories as they wound up a home stand, and they took to the road to Houston on the upbeat. St. Louis plays at Houston tonight in the only major league game scheduled. Mike Torrez (1-2) will pitch against Jim Ray (2-1).

Kansas City caught Washington pitching ace Joe Coleman just when he is righting himself after a shaky start this season, and fell to the Senators, 3-1.

The Royals will play an exhibition game tonight against

the Pirates in Pittsburgh, then go on to Boston to open a three-game series against the Red Sox Friday night. Steve Jones and Jim Rooker will pitch tonight's exhibition, which is a benefit for Pittsburgh-area junior baseball.

Gibson, roughed for three runs in the fifth on Rico Carty's double, Felix Millan's triple and singles by Bob Aspromonte and Mike Lum, was toughed otherwise until the ninth. Then, Mil-lan and Aspromonte singled again and pinch hitter Tommie Aaron walked. Gibson buckled down to strike out pinch hitter Cleto Boyer and end the game, however.

The Cardinals got their first

three runs piecemeal, with Brock doubling in the third and Mike Shannon beating out a bunt single in the fourth before Joe Torre hit his ninth home run in the sixth to tie.

Kansas City scored its only run in the first inning, when the Royals bunched three singles—by Pat Kelly, Joe Foy and Lou Piniella. Coleman scattered five hits over the final eight in-nings, however, to pitch his first complete game since April 9. He has a 3-5 record.

The Senators got the tying run on Mike Epstein's 13th homer in the fourth, then big Frank Howard ignited a two-run rally in the sixth with a double. Singles by Ken McMullen and

Bernie Allen scored the runs and pinned the loss on Dick Drago, now 3-3.

Sedalia Ban Johnson Team On the Road

The Sedalia Ban Johnson team opens their season tonight at the Marshall City Park stadium.

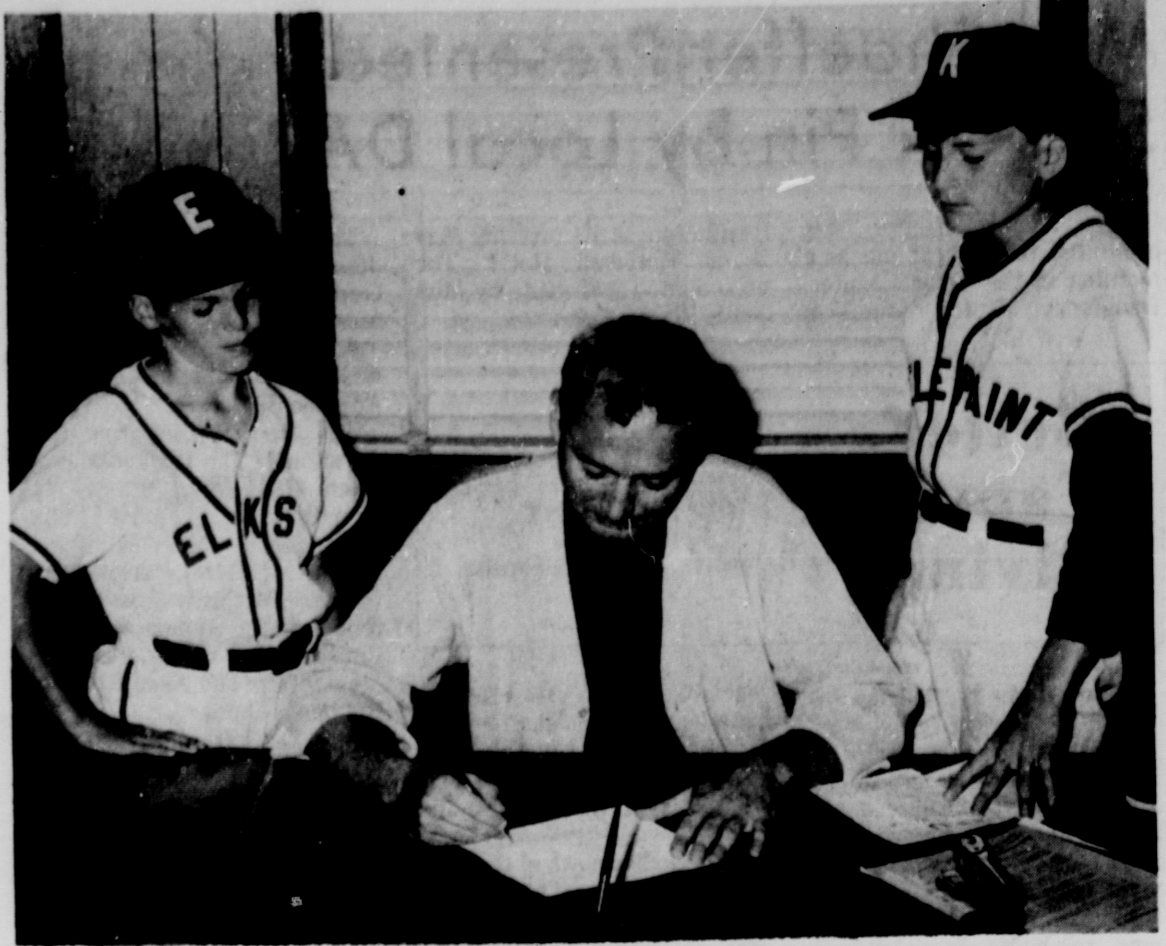
The locals were scheduled to open last Sunday, but rain forced postponement of that opener at Booneville.

The tentative lineup has Mike Kraxberger on the mound and Larry Neville behind the plate. Game time against Marshall is slated for 8 p.m.

Players on this year's squad are from Sedalia and the surrounding area.

Many of the players have just completed college competition at Southwest Baptist College, Central Missouri State, William Jewell and Missouri University.

The home opener for the locals will be Sunday against Columbia at Liberty Park stadium.



Little League Week Opens

Mayor Ralph Walker, flanked by Dennis Onwiler (L) and Greg Bechtel (R), signs a proclamation proclaiming the week beginning June 8 as Little League Baseball Week. The

proclamation urges all citizens of Sedalia to recognize and give support to the program of Little League Baseball. (Democrat-Capital Photo)



Get 'Em Any Way You Can

Yankees' catcher John Ellis dives back in time to tag the Twins' Cesar Tovar out when he tried to score from first base during the fifth inning of the Minnesota-New York game, Wednesday night at Minneapolis. (UPI)

Junior Olympics Schedule is Set

The schedule for track and field events at the AAU Junior Olympics Qualifying Meet at Jennie Daynes Stadium Friday and Saturday has been determined by coach Paul Schwartz, field director.

Coach Max Fields, meet coordinator, and Paul Klover, AAU district representative, expect 700 to 800 entries this year, a substantial increase over last year's 300.

Many of those participating, Klover said, have placed in Missouri Class S, M and L district and state track meets, especially those in long distance running and hurdles events.

A tremendous response has

been felt from area towns, as 27 will be represented, including those as far away as Harrisonville, Odessa, Fayette, Camdenton and Moberly.

The entrants will vie for 662 ribbons, given to each of the first five finishers in each event. The first three finishers will qualify for the Missouri Sub-regional meet in Kansas City June 21.

Assisting in the various events will be Eugene Gregory, Elroy Hutcherson, Bob Reese, Cecil Long, Herb Ford, Leonard Butler and Cliff Logan. Coach Schwartz will serve as timer.

The schedule is as follows:

TIME	EVENT	DIVISION
6:00 p.m.	880-yd. run	Inter.
6:15 p.m.	880-yd. run	Senior
6:30 p.m.	880-yd. run	Inter.
6:45 p.m.	880-yd. run	Senior
7:00 p.m.	1-mile run	Inter.
7:15 p.m.	1-mile run	Senior
7:30 p.m.	2-mile run	Senior

TIME	EVENT	DIVISION
9:00 a.m.	pole vault	Junior
10:00 a.m.	pole vault	Inter.
11:00 a.m.	pole vault	Senior

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9:00 a.m.	50-yd. dash	Bantam
9:05 a.m.	50-yd. dash	Bantam
9:20 a.m.	50-yd. dash	Midjet
9:30 a.m.	50-yd. dash	Midjet
9:35 a.m.	50-yd. dash	Junior
9:40 a.m.	75-yd. dash	Junior
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10:40 a.m.	100-yd. dash	Senior
10:45 a.m.	100-yd. dash	Senior
10:50 a.m.	220-yd. dash	Midjet
10:55 a.m.	220-yd. dash	Junior
11:10 a.m.	660-yd. run	Junior
11:15 a.m.	440-yd. dash	Midjet
11:20 a.m.	440-yd. dash	Junior
11:25 a.m.	440-yd. dash	Junior
11:40 a.m.	440-yd. dash	Inter.
11:45 a.m.	440-yd. dash	Inter.
11:50 a.m.	440-yd. dash	Senior
11:55 a.m.	440-yd. dash	Senior
Noon	120-yd. h. hurd	Senior
12:05 p.m.	70-yd. h. hurd	Inter.
12:10 p.m.	70-yd. low hurd	Junior
12:15 p.m.	50-yd. l. hurd	Junior
12:20 p.m.	50-yd. l. hurd	Inter.
12:25 p.m.	50-yd. l. hurd	Senior
12:30 p.m.	220-yd. dash	Bantam

12:35 p.m.	220-yd. dash	Midjet	Girls
12:40 p.m.	220-yd. dash	Midjet	Boys
12:45 p.m.	220-yd. dash	Junior	Girls
12:50 p.m.	220-yd. dash	Junior	Boys
12:55 p.m.	220-yd. dash	Inter.	Girls
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1:15 p.m.	220-yd. dash	Senior	Girls
1:20 p.m.	220-yd. dash	Senior	Boys
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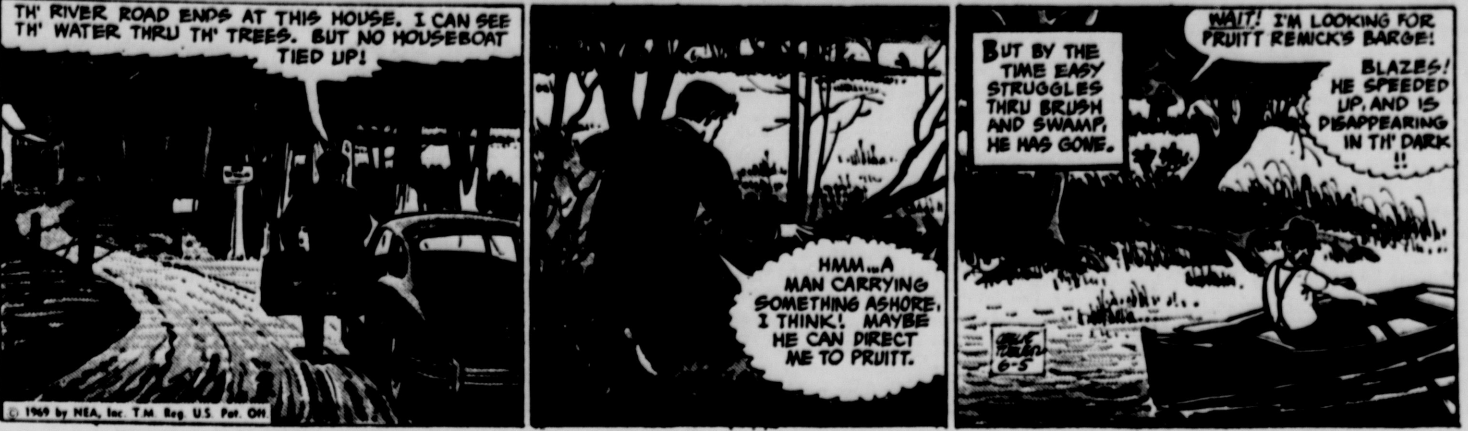
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3:50 p.m.	440-yd. relay	Inter.
3:55 p.m.	440-yd. relay	Senior
4:00 p.m.	440-yd. relay	Senior
4:05 p.m.	440-yd. relay	Midjet
4:10 p.m.	440-yd. relay	Midjet
4:15 p.m.	880-yd. relay	Junior
4:25 p.m.	880-yd. relay	Inter.
4:35 p.m.	880-yd. relay	Senior
4:45 p.m.	880-yd. relay	Senior

TIME	EVENTS	DIVISION
1:40 p.m.	50-yd. dash	Bantam
1:45 p.m.	50-yd. dash	Bantam
1:50 p.m.	50-yd. dash	Midjet
1:55 p.m.	50-yd. dash	Midjet
2:00 p.m.	50-yd. dash	Junior
2:05 p.m.	50-yd. dash	Inter.
2:10 p.m.	50-yd. dash	Senior
2:15 p.m.	75-yd. dash	Bantam
2:20 p.m.	75-yd. dash	Bantam
2:25 p.m.	75-yd. dash	Junior
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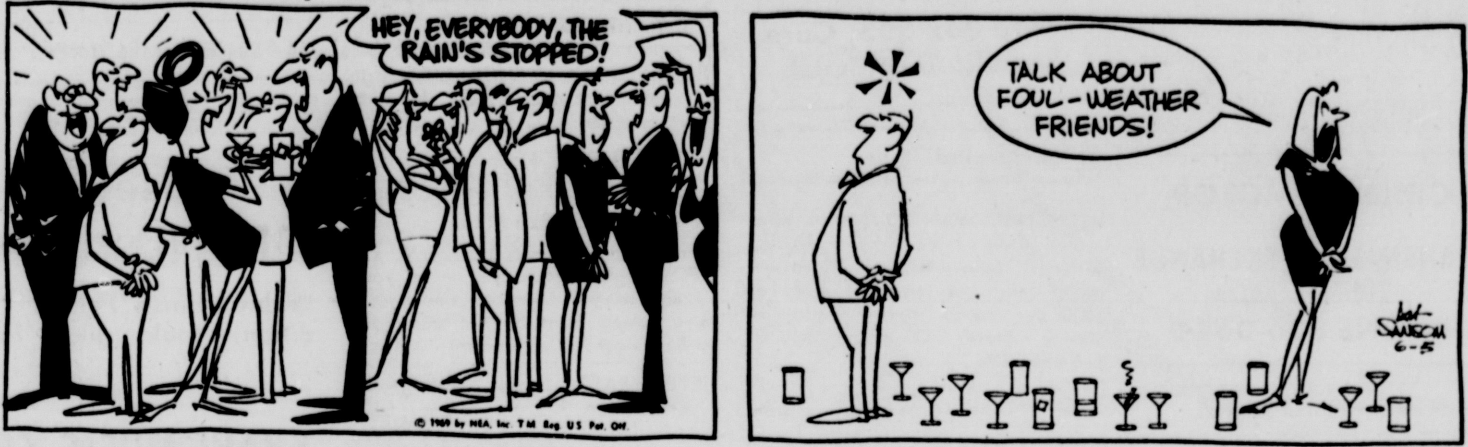
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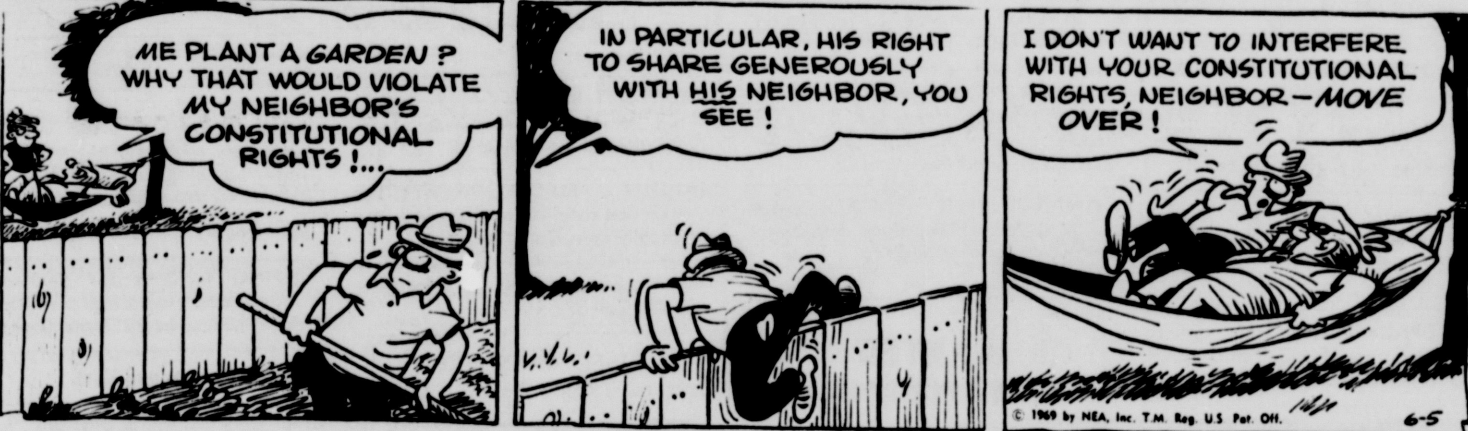
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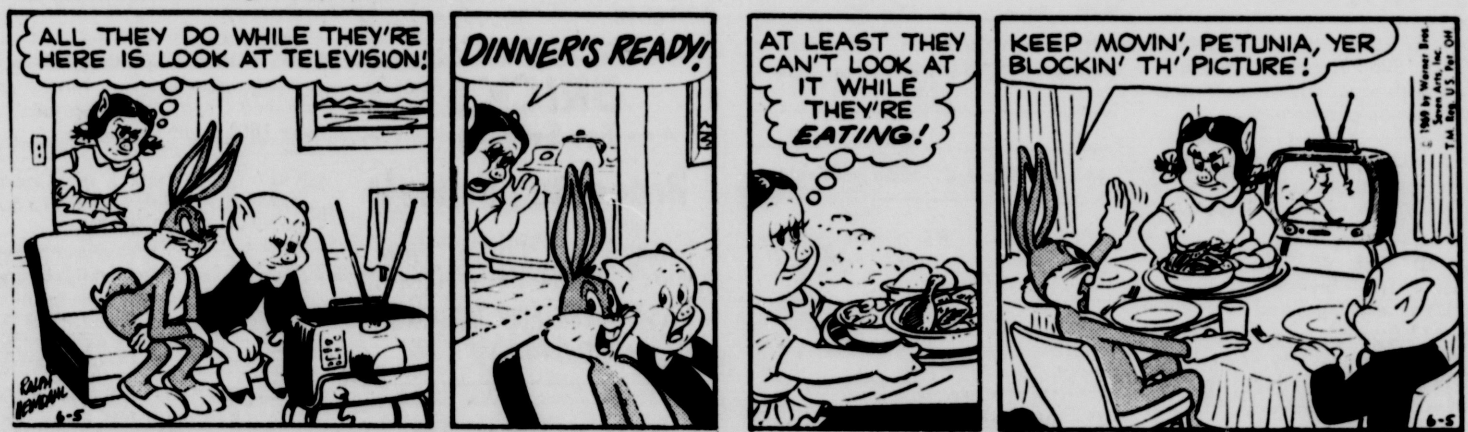
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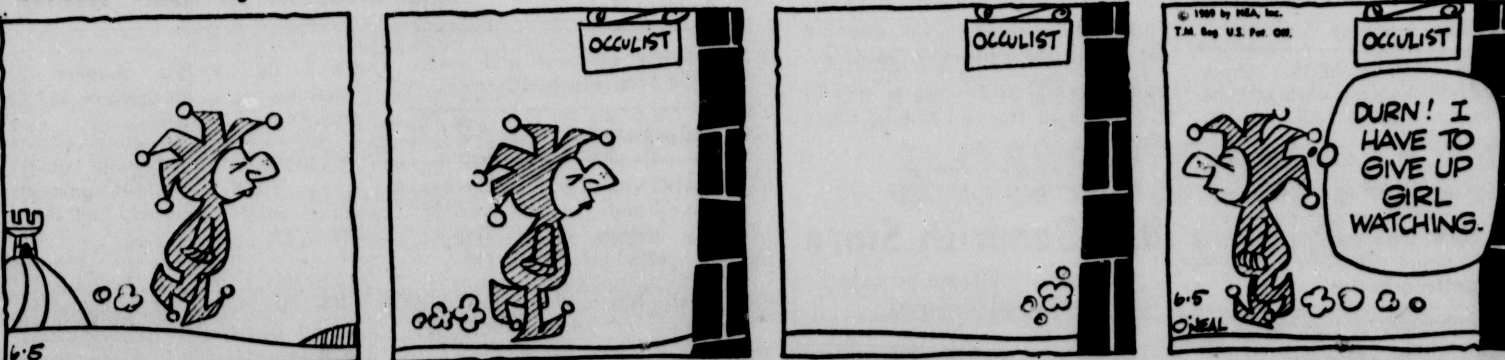
WINTHROP By Dick Cavalli



ECK & MEEK By Howie Schneider



SHORT RIBS By Frank O'Neal



POLLY'S POINTERS

Socks Over Shoes
Set Tot to Sleep

By POLLY CRAMER

DEAR POLLY—When I put my toddler to bed for a nap I slip a pair of her daddy's socks on over her shoes. The socks keep the sheets clean and I am saved the time taking off and putting on her shoes. She thinks it is very funny to be wearing daddy's socks to bed.—PAT

Polly's Problem

DEAR POLLY—I am a young housewife who has tried dyeing garments for the first time and with very little success. I follow the directions on the box, and the first time the dyed article is laundered much of the dye tends to wash out. This is certainly frustrating so I would appreciate it if anyone can tell me what I have done wrong or failed to do. I have quite a few more things I would like to dye but want to be successful at it.—BARB

DEAR POLLY—When cleaning around the windows, an easy way to keep the draperies out of the way is to put the bottom part through a coat hanger and then hang it on the curtain rod.

Dilute some vinegar with water, dampen a cloth with this and go over those worn black suede shoes. When dry, brush with a suede brush. This will give them a new lease on life.—MARLENE

DEAR POLLY — Mrs. R. O. had a cute idea for making an abacus for a child with a coat hanger but when my little daughter was two she was badly hurt by a wire coat hanger so I suggest that for preschoolers it would be far safer to string the different colored spools on a heavy string, like a shoe string, and let the child learn the colors and to count from that.—JOYCE

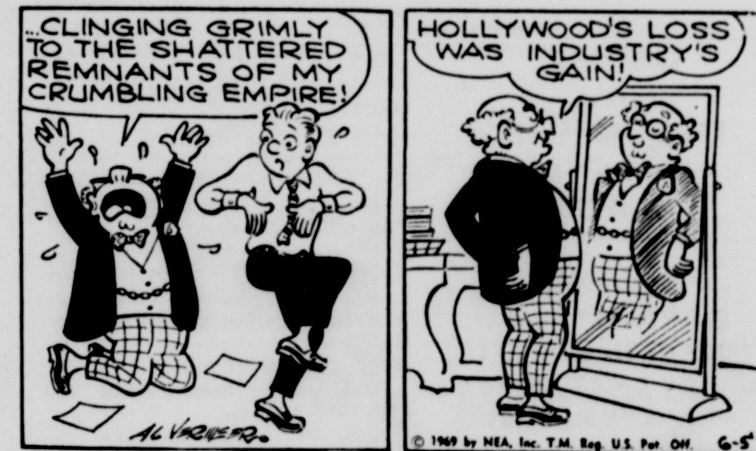
DEAR POLLY—My young son had trouble remembering whether or not he had fed his goldfish so I took a piece of cardboard, wrote the days of the week on it. Now every morning after he feeds the fish he sets the food box on that day of the week so we have no more hungry fish.—MRS. T. O.

(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

You will receive a dollar if Polly uses your favorite home-making idea, Polly's Problem or solution to a problem. Write Polly in care of this newspaper.

Know-how makes the job easy. There are dozens of clever timesavers in Polly's new book. To get it, send name, address with zip code and 75 cents (in coins or check) to POLLY'S HOME-MAKING POINTERS, (name paper), P.O. Box 4958, Chicago, Ill. 60680.

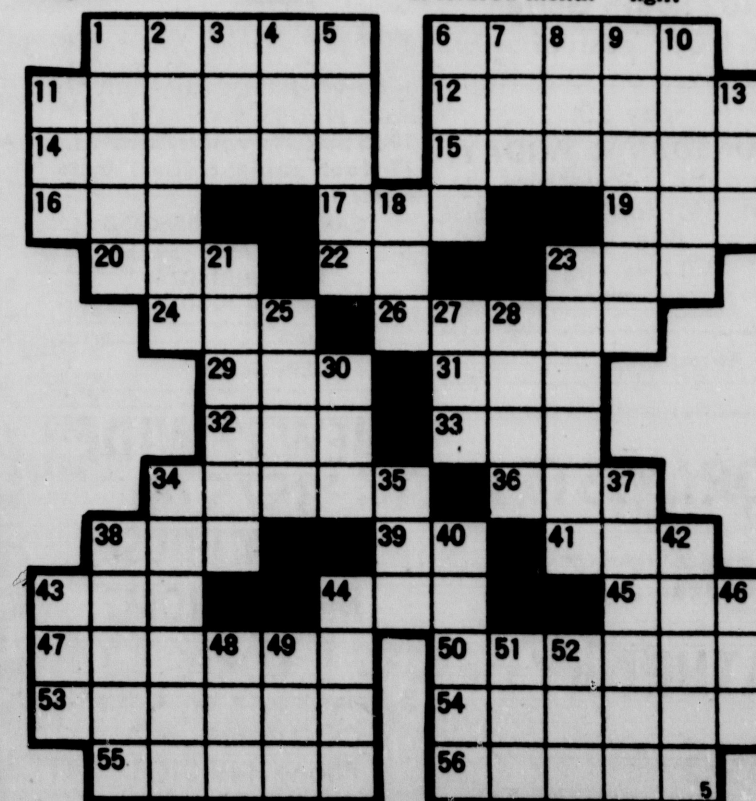
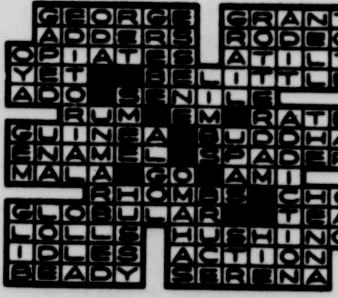
PRISCILLA'S POP By Al Vermeer



Rivers

- ACROSS
1 Italian stream
6 Stream in France
11 Dispassionate (ab.)
12 Canadian river
14 Spheres of action
15 At greater depth
16 Sweetheart (Anglo-Irish)
17 Fish
19 Priority (prefix)
20 Indonesian of Mindanao
22 Negative reply
23 Exclamations of satisfaction
24 Abstract being
26 Boulevard in Madrid
29 Good-sized mouthful (slang)
31 Bustle
32 Epoch
33 Impair
34 Rugged mountain crest
36 Color
38 Postscripts (ab.)
39 Behold
41 Membranous pouch
43 Dry, as wine
44 Little demon
45 Gist (coll.)
46 Decorticated
50 Guarantee
53 Make enduring
54 Russian coin (var.)
55 Utah, for instance
56 British queen and namesakes
DOWN
1 Earth (Latin)
2 Fancy
3 Lancelot's father
10 Pitchers
11 Droop
13 Exist
18 Diamond-cutter's cup
21 Enrages
23 Lyric poet
25 Painful
27 Male sheep
28 Hebrew month

Answer to Previous Puzzle



(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)



CARNIVAL By Dick Turner



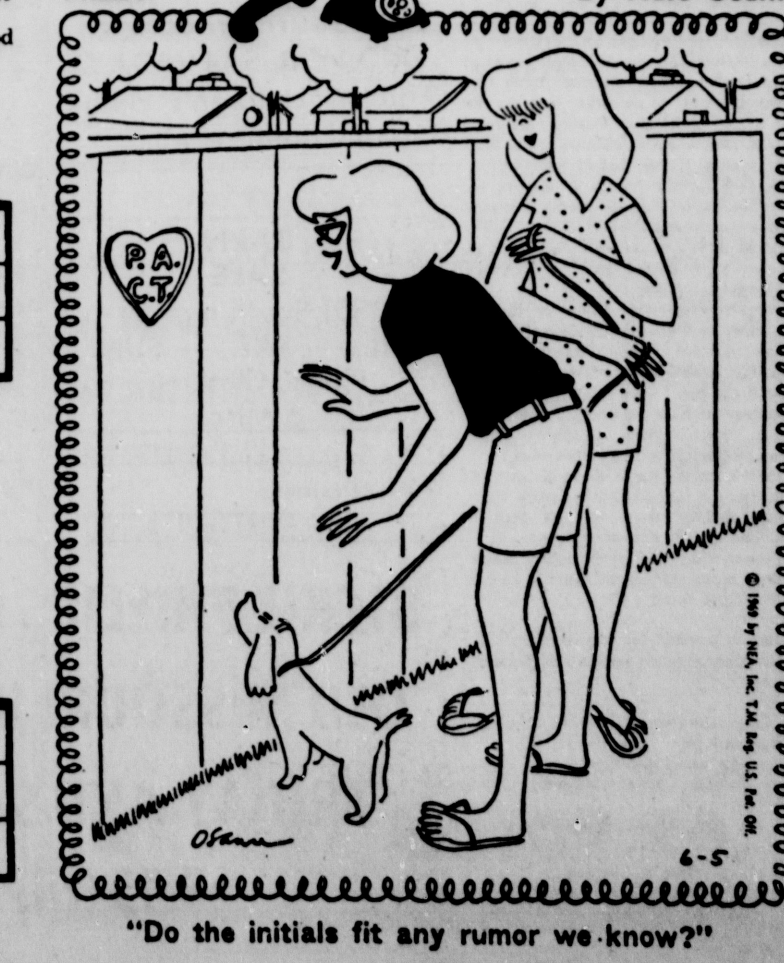
OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople



SIDE GLANCES By Gill Fox



TIZZY by Kate Osann



Indicate Player Cuts At Meetings

NEW YORK (AP) — Pro football's club owners discussed a possible cut of the player limit today as they pressed ahead with committee reports that have been sidetracked since the lengthy realignment talks.

The player limit, which is set at 36 in the constitution of both the American and National Football Leagues, was voted to the 40-man level by the NFL in 1964 with the AFL following that pattern two years later.

Now the owners are considering a cutback, probably to 38 or 39, as a method of increasing the talent available to the clubs at the bottom of the standings.

"In most cases," said Commissioner Pete Rozelle, "clubs down the ladder like to get a shot at the players cut from the talent-rich clubs."

Asked if trimming the player limit could be construed by the Players Associations in both leagues as a way of cutting down player payrolls, Rozelle said:

"I don't know, you'd have to ask them. Maybe there are some clubs thinking that way, but I think in most cases it's the other reason."

A rule also was recommended that would outlaw gimmickry in placekicking shoes by restricting footwear to shoes that are available for general purchase in sporting goods stores.

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION
Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of the Lincoln Community Nursing Home District that, pursuant to an order made by the County Court of Benton County, Missouri, on May 19, 1969, a special election will be held in said Nursing Home District on Tuesday, June 24, 1969, for the purpose of electing six directors for said Nursing Home District, with the polls opening at 6 o'clock a.m. (DST) and closing at sunset on said day. The six members to serve on the Board of Directors of said District as follows:

- One director from election district number one for a term of one year.
- One director from election district number two for a term of two years.
- One director from election district number three for a term of three years.
- One director from election district number four for a term of four years.
- One director from election district number five for a term of five years.
- One director from election district number six for a term of six years.

Said election will be held at the polling places in the election precinct in said Nursing Home District as follows: to-wit:

The election precinct for said election shall include all of the Lincoln Community Nursing Home District.

The polling places for and within the election precinct shall be:
R-2 School House and
Santiago Community Center

Voters may vote at any convenient polling place.

OLIVER WHITE,
Clerk of the Benton County Court

(SEAL)
3A-522, 29-65

Sedalia Scottish Rite Club will have a regular business meeting Thursday, June 5th, at 7:30 p.m. at Masonic Temple. Program and refreshments afterwards. All members and wives urged to attend.
Perry Wolke, Pres.
J. D. Schlobohm, Sec'y.

Sedalia Lodge #236 A.F. & A.M. will meet in regular communication on Friday, June 6, 1969 at 8:00 P.M. at the Masonic Temple, Broadway and Missouri. This is the business meeting of the month and all members are urged to come out for this meeting. Visiting Brethren are always welcome.
Jack Chambers W.M.
Howard J. Gwinn Sec'y.

REALTY CUSTOMERS—If need to buy Realist or want to sell part time. Write Rudy Winter, District Manager, 417-418 Holland Building, Springfield, Missouri. No obligation.

COMMENCING JUNE 5TH change of bus schedule, the 5:10 AM bus will leave at 4:25 AM.

GUITAR, ACCORDION, Banjo and Bass lessons. Ruth Bockelman, Shaw Music Studio, 702 1/2 South Ohio, 826-0684.

LAWNBOY LAWNMOWERS, authorized sales and service. U.S. Rents It, 530 East 5th. Call 826-2003.

RENT AN EXERCISER. It will do your heart good. U.S. Rents It, 530 East 5th.

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7.C—Rummage Sales

FLEA MARKET
at
EARL'S, South 65
SUNDAY afternoon
Buy & Sell-Anything
SEE AD FRIDAY

RUMMAGE SALE
1801 East 7th
THURSDAY & FRIDAY
Furniture, children's, women's, men's clothing, African violets.

LARGE GARAGE SALE
Thursday & Friday
1625 East 10th
Dishes, drapes, good condition, ladies, childrens & mens clothing.

GARAGE SALE
1638 HONEYSUCKLE
(Country Club Addition)
THURSDAY & FRIDAY
Children and adult clothing, all sizes. Misc.

NEIGHBORHOOD SALE
1028 SOUTH MERRIAM
THURSDAY & FRIDAY
Very nice size 12 formal, lady's clothing, also, boy's clothing, size 6-10.

RUMMAGE
Antiques - Furniture
Dishes-Junk & whi mo
504 DAL WHI MO
THURSDAY & FRIDAY

BACK YARD
RUMMAGE SALE
600 EAST 16TH
Thursday & Friday
Lots of everything!

GARAGE SALE
2500 WEST 11th
THURSDAY & FRIDAY
Books, records, clothing, some furniture, misc. kitchen items.

BACK YARD SALE
FRI & SAT, JUNE 6-7
521 WEST 11th STREET
Child's car seat, stroller, playpen, clothing, furniture, elect. motor, misc.

LARGE GARAGE SALE
BY 5 FAMILIES.
911 ROYAL
(Thompson Hills Addition).
FRIDAY & SATURDAY.
Many nice things.

GARAGE
SALE
1502 WEST 5th
FRIDAY & SATURDAY.

— MOVING —
GARAGE SALE
1319 SOUTH BARRETT
FRIDAY & SATURDAY.
Stove, dryer, clothing, toys, books, misc.

RUMMAGE & BAKE
SALE
1801 East 16th
FRIDAY & SATURDAY.
Sponsored by Mo. State Asso. of L.P.N.'s Inc.

GARAGE SALE
612 SOUTH PARK
ALL DAY FRIDAY
Radio, lawn mower, dishes, toys, clothing, misc.

PATIO SALE
1803 EAST 6th
FRIDAY & SATURDAY
Clothing, some furniture, misc.

LARGE GARAGE SALE
609 East 16th.
Fri. & Sat. 8 to 8
All kinds & sizes clothing. Baby & other furniture. Exerciser, toys, dishes, shoes, misc.

PATIO SALE
1102 South Gorrell
One Block East of Marshall Ave. on Old Highway 50.
THURSDAY & FRIDAY
Aurora H.O. scale race set. Radio, TV, Table, 26 inch Schwinn Bike, (new tires). Clothes, Misc.

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7C—Rummage Sales

Clothing, Furniture, Etc.
Salvation Army
Red Shield Store
120 East 5th. (Rear)
Open Monday Through Saturday
9 A.M. to 5 P.M.

GARAGE SALE
809 North New York
FRIDAY & SATURDAY.
Clothing of all sizes, shoes, misc.

BASEMENT SALE
623 East 16th
FRIDAY & SATURDAY.
All size clothing.

LARGE BACK
PORCH SALE
FRIDAY & SATURDAY.
2003 West Broadway
Mens large clothing, shirts, dresses, jewelry, dishes, Barbie doll clothes.

8—Religious and Social Events

BAKE SALE
by Zabeth Theta Rho
Girls Club No. 51.
IN FRONT OF PENNEY'S
SATURDAY, 9 A.M.

12—Auto Trucks for Sale

1959 CHEVROLET TRUCK, 2 ton, Dump Bed. Call 826-3590.

13—Auto Accessories, Tires, Parts
AUTO AIR CONDITIONER SERVICE. Re-charge \$7.50, gas included. Seats installed in GM units. Call 826-7011.

SERVICE STATIONS, and garage used equipment items. Palmer's Tool Supply, 629 East Broadway, Phone 826-0841.

GENERAL MOTOR
and
TRANSMISSION EXCHANGE
210 East 3rd.
PHONE 826-3644

15—Motorcycles and Bicycles

1967 TRIUMPH Bonneville, 650cc, like new condition, \$825. Phone 826-4477.

1966 HARLEY DAVIDSON M-50, like new, priced \$100. Phone 826-5118.

18—Business Services Offered

SEPTIC TANK CLEANING work guaranteed. E. A. Esser, Route 2, Sedalia. Telephone 826-8622 or 826-9997.

WELL DRILLING, new wells drilled, old wells repaired. All work guaranteed. Robert Brown, 827-1080.

SUP COVERS, UPHOLSTERING, caning, draperies, restyling. John Miller's Upholstering, 613 South Engineer. No phone service.

WELL DRILLER, LLOYD DEUSCHLE, 826-2559. New wells drilled, old wells repaired. Pumps, financing satisfaction guaranteed.

KUT & KURL Beauty Shop, 826-0247. Special — Regular \$10 waves for \$7.50 Wednesday and Thursday.

WANTED
WASH & POLISH MAN
Must be over 18. Permanent job. Hospitalization. Paid vacation. Other fringe benefits. Apply to Mr. Greer or Mr. Campbell at Bill Greer Motors, 1700 West Broadway.

34—Help Wanted—Male and Female

EXPERIENCED FRY COOK, apply in person, Beverly's Restaurant, 1705 West Broadway.

DISHWASHER WANTED, apply in person, Bruno Cafe, 414 South Osage.

38—Business Opportunities

APCO SERVICE STATION, 14th and Limit, Sedalia will be for lease. Call Jefferson City, Missouri, 314-635-5513.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY FOR TIRE SERVICEMAN

Applications are now being taken to employ a TIRE SERVICEMAN.

Experience in changing or repairing truck tires and tractor tires is very desirable.

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The aft section of the U.S. Navy destroyer Frank E. Evans (foreground) was tied to another destroyer, the USS Eric Larsen, after the Evans was cut in

two in a collision with the Australian carrier Melbourne in the South China Sea.

(UPI)

WASHINGTON (AP) — Veteran U.S. naval officers say the burden of responsibility to avoid collision normally rests on destroyers rather than the aircraft carriers they escort.

When changing station a destroyer is supposed to avoid crossing the bow of an accompanying carrier and is required to take a wide swinging course to its new position, the officers said in interviews.

While saying they did not want to prejudge an investigation, these officers indicated they accept the Australian version of the South China Sea collision Tuesday in which the Australian carrier Melbourne sliced in half the U.S. destroyer Frank E. Evans. The bow of the Evans sank and 74 American sailors were lost.

"It sounds so much like what's happened before," one U.S. Navy man said.

The Australians have sent the U.S. Navy a classified account which reportedly pictures the Evans as turning one way when she should have turned the other.

The secret report also describes the Evans as running under the bow of the Melbourne, sources said.

In a public statement, the Australian Navy Department has claimed the collision occurred after the Melbourne ordered the Evans, ahead of her in a screen, to change station astern of the carrier.

"Evans approached on a collision course, and, despite urgent action by Melbourne, a collision occurred," the Australian navy said.

Unlike the Australians, the U.S. Navy is saying virtually nothing in public about the incident pending the outcome of a joint U.S.-Australian investigation arranged Wednesday.

One reason for this, sources said, is that the Navy Department hasn't received a report from the Evans' skipper, Cmdr. A.S. McLemore, or other officers who survived.

Most survivors were sleeping when the destroyer was chopped in two.

Ed Walters Addresses Beta Alpha

Ed Walters, power supervisor for Central Missouri Electric Co-Op, was guest speaker at the May 27 meeting of the Missouri Beta Alpha Chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa at Flat Creek Inn.

The speaker cleverly demonstrated the dangers of electricity with miniature cars, houses, and people. He explained that electricity is a wonderful power but it must be respected. He also gave several good safety tips.

Miss Barbara Freund, president, presided over the business meeting. Eleven members answered roll call and the following guests were introduced: Miss Pat Bradshaw, Elizabeth Ann Bronson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Walters, Gary Johnson, John Bronson, O. D. Raines and Walter Castle.

The International Convention of Alpha Delta Kappa will be held Aug. 3-7 at the Hotel Muehlebach in Kansas City. Miss Freund was elected the official chapter delegate and Mrs. Bronson the alternate.

The chapter voted to provide a \$50 scholarship for a student in the practical nursing program at State Fair Community College.

An attendance contest has been conducted this past year and the team of Mrs. O. D. Raines was the winner. The team will be treated to a picnic lunch at the next meeting, June 24.

conducted by a panel of three U.S. and three Australian naval officers, with U.S. Rear Adm. Jerome H. King as senior member.

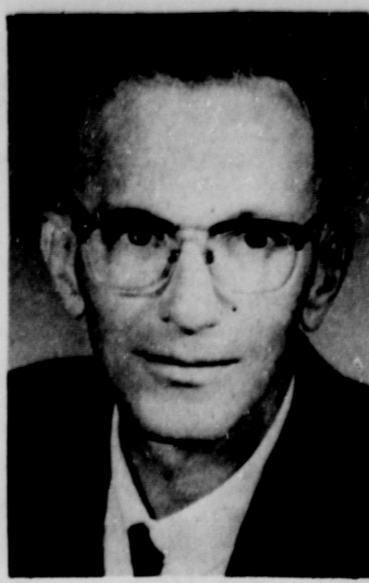
A Pentagon announcement said the fact-finding body will determine "the nature of the incident, its causes, and how it happened."

A crucial question involves messages from the Melbourne to the Evans—whether they were received, whether the Evans acknowledged them, and whether the destroyer's deck officer understood the instructions.

The U.S. Navy may have to batten down for new storm winds from Congress.

Rep. Clarence D. Long, D-Md., told Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird Wednesday that he should think about shaking up the naval command.

Long cited what he called the "four most recent bumbles of the Navy"—the North Korean seizure of the spy ship Pueblo, the North Korean downing of a Navy reconnaissance plane, the sinking of a new submarine at its California dock, and the loss of the Evans.



Gene Howell has been named chief testboardman for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company here. He will be responsible for the operation of long distance equipment. Howell was wire chief at Marshall before coming here. He and his wife, Doris, have three children.



Preliminary Debate On Abortion Law

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — The Michigan Senate Wednesday ordered preliminary debate on an abortion law reform proposal that would remove criminal penalties for abortions performed by accredited doctors in licensed Michigan hospitals.

The vote was 20 to 11, exactly the number of positive votes needed to take the bill off the table.

Another abortion law reform bill, to allow termination of pregnancy under limited circumstances such as cases of rape or incest, was ordered taken under debate Tuesday.

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